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Date.	Steamers.	Tons.	From Aden.	Tons
26th Sept..	Saxon ..	6000	Kashgar ..	9008
1st Oct. ..	Nagova ..	7000	.. ..	..
3rd	Karmala ..	9000	.. ..	..
5th	Khiva ..	9000	.. ..	..
22nd	Arabia ..	8000	.. ..	..
24th	Nellore ..	7950	.. ..	..
5th Novr. ..	Palette ..	6000	Morea ..	11000
12th	Kashmir ..	9050	.. ..	..
19th	Salsette ..	6060	Medina ..	12500
19th	Caledonia ..	8000	.. ..	..
3rd Decr. ..	Salsette ..	6006	Mongolia ..	10000
18th	Khyber ..	9069	.. ..	..
17th	Saxon ..	6006	Malwa ..	11000
24th	Nag pa ..	7008	.. ..	..
31st	Salsette ..	6060	Kaiser-I-Hind	11500

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Date.	Steamers.	Tons.	Connecting at Colombo.	Tons.
Sept.	Nore ..	7000	Medina ..	12500
21st Oct	Malta ..	7000	Malwa * ..	11500
18th Nov	Novara ..	7000	Mooltan ..	10000

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17th Sept.	Fultala	Basrah, Mahommerah & Bushi
26th Sept.	Dilwara	E. and S. Africa via Porebunder and seychelles
26th Sept.	Sangola	Rangoon via Tuticorin and Colombo
*28th Sept.	Linga	Karachi direct.

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* Not calling at Marseilles.

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Steamers.	Class.	Tons*	Leave Liverpool about.
City of Lahore	A&C	6948	Sept.
*City of Paris	A&C	9300	2nd Oct.
City of York	A&C	7854	10th Oct.
City of Cairo	A&C	7700	16th Nov.

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Steamers.	Tons.	Arrival.	Departure.
S. S. Standard	1461	23th Sept.	1st Oct.
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Rangoon Maru	Y. Kobayashi	5848	17th Sept.	18th Sept.
Bengal Maru	..	2844	2 7th Sept.	14th Oct.
Yetsuriu Maru	K. Ogura	4546	7th Oct.	16th Oct.
Tonkin Maru	R. Ogoshi	4175	7th Oct.	20th Oct.
Penang Maru	S. Kushibiki	5780	17th Oct.	28th Oct.
Yebudi Maru	K. Kishimoto	4938	19th Oct.	31st Oct.

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Shinkoku Maru	5886	Y. Kuchiki	26th Sept.	29th Sept.
Malay Maru ..	4515	Y. Nemoto	12th Oct.	26th Oct.

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Subscribed Capital £2,000,000
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Lahore	Kandy	Kisumu
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Cochin		

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CURRENT DEPOSIT ACCOUNTS

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The Bank undertakes the purchase and sale of Government Securities. Stocks and Shares and receives same for safe custody realising. Interest and Dividend when due.

Loans and Cash Credits granted on approved securities.

RALPH KIDD,
Manager.

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Reserve Liability of Proprietors ... $15,000,000
Silver Reserve Fund $18,000,000
Gold Reserve Fund £1,500,000

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Hankow	New York	Tsingtau
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Ipoh	Rangoon	

CURRENT DEPOSIT ACCOUNTS.

Interest allowed at 2 per cent. per annum on Daily Balances of Rs. 1,000 to Rs. 1,00,000 provided the sum accrued amounts to Rs. 5 half yearly.

FIXED DEPOSITS.

Are received for varying periods up to 12 months on terms which may be ascertained on application. Drafts granted on London and the chief Commercial places in Europe India, Australia, America, China and Japan. Credits granted. Bills purchased and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

J. D. SMART,
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ESTABLISHED 15TH MAY, 1895.

Capital Authorized ..... Rs. 50,00,000
Capital Issued ..... Rs. 31,00,000
Capital Subscribed ..... Rs. 31,00,000
Capital Paid-up ..... Rs. 16,21,208
Reserve Funds ..... Rs. 11,38,656

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FIXED DEPOSITS are received for 12 months and shorter periods at rates of interest which can be ascertained on application.

SAVINGS BANK DEPOSITS. Sums as low as Rs. 5 received and interest allowed at 3½ per cent. per annum.

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Subscribed Capital ..... Yen 48,000,000
Paid-up Capital ..... Yen 30,000,000
Reserve Fund ..... Yen 20,800,000

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GEORGE MILLER, Agent.

Esplanade Road,
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THE MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA LIMITED.

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Subscribed Capital £1,125,000
Paid-up Capital ..... £ 562,500
Reserve Liability of Shareholders... £ 562,500
Reserve Fund ..... £ 550,000

HEAD OFFICE.
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London Joint Stock Bank, Ltd.

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CURRENT DEPOSIT ACCOUNTS.

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J. B. CRICHTON,
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Esplade Road, Bombay.

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M. S. BHARUCHA, L.C.E.,
Land Manager.

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NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS.

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MANAGING DIRECTOR.
"Bombay Chronicle."

Bombay, 30th August, 1916.

NOTICE.

KATNI CEMENT & INDUSTRIAL CO., LTD.

BANSILAL PHARASRAM, a registered Shareholder of this Company, has applied to the Directors for a duplicate of Ordinary Share Certificate No. 6186 of this Company, he having lost the original, and the Directors propose to issue a duplicate to him unless, within 14 days of date, an objection is raised by any party or parties alleging a lien, claim or any other right, title or interest in or to the said Share.

By order of the Board of Directors,
C. MACDONALD & Co.,
Agents.

Cox's Building, Hornby Road,
Bombay, 21st September, 1916. 5310

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that Major NAWABZADA HAMIDULLAKHAN, of Bhopal Mahomedan Inhabitant, has contracted to sell the undermentioned property to our client Mr. DINSHAW H. BODE. Any person having any claim in or to the said propesty or any part thereof by way of sale, exchange, mortgage, gift, trust, inheritance, possession, lease, lien, easement or otherwise is hereby required to make the same known in writing to us at our Office No. 14 K. Hummum Street, Fort, Bombay, and to the Assessor of Municipal Rates and Taxes within 14 days from the date hereof, otherwies the sale will be completed without any regard to any such claim and the same will be considered as waived.

All that piece or parcel of leasehold land together with the messuage or dwelling house standing thereon situate at the Colaba Reclamation within the Fort of Bombay in the Registration Sub-District of Bombay containing by admeasurement 992 square yards or thereabouts and assessed by the Collector of Land Revenue under New Survey No. 9765 and bounded on the East by Plot No. 33, belonging to the Bombay Improvement Trust on the West by a forty feet road on the North by Plot No. 27, belonging to the Bombay Improvement Trust and on the South by a forty feet road which said premises are assessed by the Assessor of Municipal Rates and Taxes under A Ward No. 225(25) and Street No. 1 and were formerly in the occupation of the tenants of Dr. M. N. Desana and are now in the occupation of the Vendor's tenants.

Dated this 16th day of September, 1916.

MERWANJI KOLA & Co.,
Purchaser's Attorneys.

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NOTICES.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that Scrip No. 402 for 25 ORDINARY SHARES Nos. 7221/7245 in the Lawrence Jute Co., Ltd., registered in the name of Mr. BAKUBHAI MANSUKHBHAI has been lost and that application for the issue of duplicate Scrip in respect thereof has been made to the Managing Agents, Messrs. Bird & Co., Calcutta, to whom any objection should be made within one month of the date hereof.

The public are cautioned against dealing in any way with these shares. 5342

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that our client Mr. MEGHJI KAYA, of Koregaon in Satara District has cancelled the GENERAL POWER OF ATTORNEY executed by him in favour of his brother DEVKARAN KAYA about five years ago in respect of the immovable property belonging to our said client situate at DABRA GULLY, KHADAK, outside the Fort of Bombay bearing B Ward Nos. 1734-1735, Street Nos. 35, 37 and 39 and Collector's New Survey Nos. 2803 and 2894 and should any one hereafter enter into any contract or deal with him in respect of the said immovable property as our client's constituted attorney he will do so at his own risk and it shall not, in any way, be binding upon our said client.

Dated this 22nd day of September, 1916.

RUSTAMJI & GINWALA,
Attorneys for Mr. Meghji Kaya.

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THE MERCANTILE PRESS COMPANY, LD

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the MERCANTILE PRESS CO., LIMITED will be held at the registered office of the Company at No. 183, Samual Street, Mandvi, on THURSDAY, the 5th October, 1916, at 3 p.m. (Standard Time), when the following resolutions will be proposed:—

(1) That the articles of association of the Company be altered by the insertion therein immediately after article 47 of the following article, *viz.*

47A. The Company may from time to time by a special resolution reduce its capital by paying off Capital or Cancelling Capital which has been lost or is unrepresented by available assets or reducing the liabilities on the shares or otherwise as may seem expedient and capital may be paid off upon the footing that it may be called up again or otherwise.

(2) That Messrs. Vasconji Naranji & Co., are appointed Agents of the Company in place of the present Agents, Messrs. Munji Nathoobhoy & Co., for 15 years and that they shall be paid 5 per cent. on the gross amount of the Company's bills for pressing and ginning with an allowance of Rs. 150 per month to cover office establishment as allowed to the present Agents.

Should the resolutions be passed as extraordinary resolutions by the required majority they will be submitted for confirmation as special resolutions to a second extraordinary meeting which will be subsequently convened.

By Order of the Board of Directors,

MUNJEE NATHOOBHOY,
Secretaries, Treasurers, and Agents.

Bombay, 22nd September, 1916. 5336

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY.

TESTAMENTARY AND INTESTATE JURISDICTION.

GEORGE V by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas King Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India.

Petition for Letters of Administration of the property and credits of MARUTI KHANDUJI KAMLEY, late of Bombay Hindu Inhabitant a boot and shoe merchant ..... Deceased

DAGDOO MARUTI KHANDUJI, the son of the abovenamed deceased of Bombay Hindu Inhabitant, a boot and shoe merchant, residing at Two Tanks in the Town and Island of Bombay ..... Petitioner

All persons claiming to have any interest in the Estate of the abovenamed deceased are hereby cited to come and see the Proceedings if they think fit before the Grant of Letters of Administration.

Witness Sir BASIL SCOTT, Knight, Chief Justice at Bombay aforesaid this Nineteenth day of Sept. in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred and sixteen and in the seventh year of our Reign.

Seal of the High Court at Bombay.

A. M. KAJIJI
Registrar.

(Sd.) P. B. MALABARI.

19th day of September, 1916.

Messrs. MATUBHAI JAMIETRAM and MADAN
Petitioner' Attorneys.

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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATUR AT BOMBAY.

TESTAMENTARY AND INTESTATE JURISDICTION.

George V by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas King Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India.

Petition for Probate of the last Will and Testament of Bai HIRABAI, widow of Thakar) RANCHHODAS LAKSHMIDAS, late of Cutch Mandvi Bhatia Hindu Inhabitant ..... Deced.

1. DWARKADAS RANCHHODAS, of Bombay Bhatia Hindu Inhabitant, a broker, residing at Kalbadevi Road without the Fort. 2. RAO BAHADUR SOONDERDAS NARANDAS, of Bombay an Attorney of the High Court of Judicature at Bombay Hindu Inhabitant, residing at Kalbadevi Road, without the Fort two executors and trustees appointed by the will of the abovenamed deceased ..... Petitioners.

All persons claiming to have any interest in the Estate of the abovenamed deceased are hereby cited to come and see the Proceedings if they think fit before the Grant of Probate.

Witness Sir STANLEY LOCKHARBAT-CHELOR, Knight, Acting Chief Justice at Bombay aforesaid, this Fifth day of Sept. in the year of our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and sixteen and in the seventh year of our Reign.

Seal of the High Court at Bombay.

(Sd.) P. B. MALABI.
Acting Registra

(Sd.) W. J. Howa
15th day of Septer, 1916.

Messrs. SOONDERDAS & Co.
Petitioners' Attorneys.

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NOTICES.

THE FORT PRESS COMPANY, LTD.

THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the Shareholders of the above Company will be held at the Registered Office of the Company, Lower Colaba, on MONDAY, the 9th October, 1916 at 3 p.m. (B.T.) to transact the following business:—

1. To receive and adopt the Directors' Report, and the Audited Accounts made up for the year ended 30th June, 1916.
2. To sanction the declaration of a Dividend.
3. To confirm the appointments of Messrs. Jamshedji Ardeshir Chinoy, Dr. Shivshanker Ramchandra Sonaji, and Khursetjee Jamsetjee Kapadia as Directors, and to elect a Director in room of one retiring but eligible for re-election.
4. To appoint an Auditor.
5. Such other business as may be brought before the Meeting.

VASANJI MONJI,
Chairman.

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BOMBAY MUNICIPALITY.

NOTICE.

SEALED TENDERS will be received by the Municipal Commissioner for the City of Bombay up to 1 p.m., (Bombay Time) on THURSDAY, 5th October, 1916, for the supply of (12) pairs of bullocks for meat van service.

The bullocks must be (14) fourteen hands and upwards in height and upto six to seven years of age and must be in a sound and fit condition.

The successful Tenderer will have to supply the bullocks at the Bandora Slaughter House within one and a half month from the date of order and when supplied they will be examined by the Veterinary Officer of the Market Department and such of the bullocks as are rejected will have to be removed at the Tenderer's risk and cost.

A deposit of Rs. 200 (two hundred) must accompany the tender which will be forfeited in case of withdrawal of tender or refusal to sign the contract. The successful tenderer will have to deposit such additional sum as will make the total deposit equal to ten per cent of the contract amount.

Tenders delivered to Officers other than the Chief Accountant of the Municipality or the Commissioner will not be considered.

If the tenderer is a firm, it is particularly requested that the names of the partners constituting the firm should be intimated while submitting the tender.

The successful tenderer will have to bear the cost of stamp duty and other charges in connection with the contract.

The Municipal Commissioner does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any tender.

S. M. EDWARDES,
Municipal Commissioner,
for the City of Bombay.

Bombay, 22nd September, 1916.
Municipal Commissioner's Office. 5344

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that Messrs. ABDUL SATAR AYOOB GAYA and ABDUL KADER HAJI ISMAIL GUL MAHOMED, RECEIVERS appointed in the High Court Suit No. 688 of 1909 have contracted to sell the under mentioned property situate at Jackeria Musjid Street without the Fort, to our clients. All persons therefore having any claim in or to the said property or any part thereof by way of inheritance, bequest, sale gift, mortgage, trust, lease lien or otherwise, howsoever, are hereby required to make the same known in writing to the undersigned at their office No. 113, Esplanade Road, Fort, and to the Assessor and Collector Bombay Municipal Rates and Taxes within 14 days from the date hereof otherwise the sale will be completed without reference to any such claims and all such claims will be considered as waived.

DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY.

All that piece or parcel of partly Government Quit and ground rent partly leasehold land or ground with the messuage tenement or dwelling house standing thereon situate lying and being at Jakaria Musjid Street without the Fort and in the Registration Sub District of Bombay containing by admeasurement one hundred and fifty-seven square yards or thereabouts of which 5.22 square yards is of lease hold tenure registered in the books of the Collector of Land Revenue under Collectors Old No. 1300 and Collectors New No. A/7054 Old Survey No. 2592 and New Survey No. 2/2030 and assessed by the Assessor and Collector of Municipal Rates and Taxes under Ward B Ward No. 2133 and Street Nos. 349-351 and bounded as follows that is to say on or towards the North by the property of Abdul Karim Haji Jaffer on or towards the East by the property of Ebrahim Mahomed Rowji on or towards the west by the Jackeria Musjid Street and on or towards the South by the property of the late Abdulla Haji Dawood.

Dated this 22d day of September, 1916.

ARDESIR HORMUSJI DINSHAW & CO.,
Purchasers' Attorneys.

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AUCTION SALE.

MESSRS. SORABJI COWASJI & CO.

AUCTIONEERS AND COMMISSION AGENTS.

21, Medows Street.

SALE ON THURSDAY, THE 28TH AND FRIDAY THE 29TH SEPTEMBER, 1916, AT THE PREMISES, NEXT TO THE NATIONAL BANK OF INDIA ESPLANADE ROAD.

BONA-FIDE SALE.
BY AUCTION
OF
JAPANESE DECORATIVE ARTISTIC AND USEFUL PORCELAIN.

The undersigned will offer for Sale by Public Auction, on the days and at the premises as above at 2-45 p.m. (S.T.), each day a large consignment of vases, beakers, ginger jars, tea jars, in every manner of shape five and three coloured jardiniers, and other articles of old Chinese design, blue and white vases, imariware and sutsuma koros and other pieces decorated in fine old and modern style; wall plates and several other decorative and artistic articles in gold and enamel colours.

Also a large assortment of tea and coffee sets, cups and saucers, sweet dishes, fruit plates, table plates, jugs, etc.

SORABJEE COWASJEE & CO.,
Auctioneers.

Bombay, 25th September, 1916.

AUCTION SALE.

MESSRS MEHTA & CO.

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On THRUSDAY, the 28th September, at 2-30 p.m. (S.T.), Messrs. MEHTA and Co., Autcioneers, will sell by Public Auction, without reserve and to the Highest Bidder, at their Rooms, at Medows Street, Fort, a regular set of Brand New Safes Just Received from the Well-known Safe Manufecturers, Messrs. Tosh and Co., consisting of the following Very High Class Fire Burglar Resisting Bent Iron "Tosh." Safes fitted with "Tosh Special 8 Lever Locks" and Secret Contrivanced Sovereign Box.

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AUCTION SALE ON SATURDAY, THE 30TH INSTANT. AT 2-30 P.M. (S. T.).

AUCTION SALE OF VALUABLE SUBSTANTIAL HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE. BLACKWOOD CENTRE TABLES OF SORTS, RARE CHINESE CABINETS WITH INLAID MOTHER-OF-PEARL RELIEF PANELS, SOLID IRON FRAMED GRAND COTTAGE PIANO BY SOUNDY & CO., FULL SIZE JOSTS FAN, RICH COLLECTION OF OLD CHINAWARE, VERY BIG OLD CHINA JAR, ETC., ETC.

On SATURDAY, the 30th instant, at 2-30 p.m. (S. T.), Messrs. MEHTA and Co., Auctioneers, are instructed to sell by Public Auction, at the first floor of the Clerk House opposite the Hotel Majestic, Wodehouse Road, the very valuable substantial and specially ordered teak and blackwood highly polished furniture, such as sliding dining table for 8 persons, specially ordered dining chairs, mirrored English sidebards, dinner waggons, meatsafes, ice box, drawing room and reading room complete suites of sofas and chairs, lined superior velvet, rich writing tables, office tables, artistic cabinets, office chairs, revolving book cases, mirrored hatstands, low easy chairs, rich carpets, rich Satsuma vases, selected oil paintings, octagonal marble topped tables, wall plates, table ornaments, card tables, marble clocks, wall brackets, Saharanpore teapoys, rare Chinese cabines with inlaid Mother-of-pearl relief panels, rich teapoys, music canterburies, solid iron framed grand Cottage piano by Soundy and Co., full size Josts fan, rich collection of old Chinaware, very big old China jar, big porcelain hand painted vases, selected solid double and single glass and panel door almirahs, cloth and gown presses, dressing chests of drawers, marble topped dressing and washing tables, iron double and single beds, towel horses, rich glass, porcelain and platedware, etc., etc., the property of the well-known diamond merchant Mr. Menasche inculding that of other gentlemen.

Catalogues will be published and the furniture will be on view from to-morrow afternoon.

MEHTA & Co.
Auctioneers.

Bombay, 25th September, 1916.

J. S. MODY & CO.

20 APOLLO STREET, FORT.

TEL. NO. 3409.

AUCTION SALE OF LANDED PROPERTY AT KAMATIPURA 11TH LANE

Messrs. J. S. MODY & Co., Auctioneers will on THURSDAY, the 28th day of September 1916, at 4-30 p.m. (S.T.) sell by Public Auction on the premises under instructions from Framroze B. Badshaw, Esqr. Vakil for the Transference of mortgage Mr. Esmailji Allibhai and on account and at the risk of the heirs and legal representatives of the deceased mortgagor Noorbhai Amijee the undermentioned landed property:—

PARTICULARS.

ALL that piece or parcel of quit and ground rent land or ground together with the messuage tenements or dwelling house standing thereon situate lying and being at Kamatipura 11th Lane outside the Fort in the Registration Sub-District of Bombay, admeasuring 43 square yards or thereabouts and registered in the books of the Collector of Land Revenue under Old No. 4436 New No. 10948 Old Survey No. 3978 and New Survey No. 6631 and assessed by the Assessor and Collector of Muncipal Rates and Taxes under E Ward No. 1912 and Street No. 3 and bounded on the East by Temple on the West by property of Ruttonji Mama on the North by Sweepers passage and on the south by 11th Kamatipura Street.

For further particulars and conditions of Sale applications may be made to Framroze B. Badshaw Esqr. Vakil for the Transferee at his office on Khetwadi Main Road, near Small Causes Court or Nali Bazar or to the undersigned.

J. S. MODY & CO.,
Auctioneers.

Bombay, 25th September, 1916.

AUCTION SALE.

BENNETT & CO.

NO. 92, APOLLO STREET, FORT.

AUCTION SALE OF FULL PRESSED BALES OF COTTON.

Messrs. BENNETT and Co. will TOMORROW TUESDAY, the 26th instant, sell by Public Auction at 4-30 p.m. (S.T.) at Sagar Press K. and M. Godowns at Sassoon Dock Colaba, on account and risk of those concerned the following:—

About 110 Full Pressed Bales of Oomra Cotton.
About 55 Full Pressed Bales of Oomra Cotton.
About 11 Full Pressed Bales of Bengal Cotton.
About 55 Full Pressed Bales of Punjab Cotton.
About 100 Full Pressed Bales of Western Cotton.
About 100 Full Pressed Bales of Broach Cotton.

A deposit of 25 per cent will be required at the time of sale.

BENNETT & CO.,,

Bombay, 25th Sept. 1916.

GANDHI & CO.

AUCTIONEERS AND COMMISSION AGENTS.

No. 52. Medows Street.

SALE TO-DAY AT 3-30 p.m. (S.T.)

AUCTION SALE OF 290 CASES JAPANESE CAMPHOR.

THIS DAY, Monday, the 25th September 1916, at 3-30 p.m. (S.T.) Messrs. GANDHI and Co. will sell by public auction by order of Messrs. Jeraji Dererajji & Co. at Vadgadi, Kariana Bazar, at their godown and on account and at the risk of defaulting purchaser Messrs. Narsi Monji & Co.

290 cases Japanese Camphor each case contains 80 tins, each tin of 3lbs. containing 960 gotis (Balance of 470 cases sold.)

A deposit of 25 per cent will be required at the time of sale.

GANDHI & CO.,
Auctioneers.

Bombay, 25th September, 1916.

MENESSE & CO.

No. 35, HUMMUM STREET, FORT.

AUCTION SALE OF OLD WOOD, EMPTY IRON DRUMS, WOODEN CASES, CASKS AND SCRAP, IRON, ETC.

Messrs. MENESSE and Co. are instructed to sell by Public Auction, on TUESDAY, 26th September, 1916 at 3-30 p.m. (S.T.) in the B. I. S. N. Coy's Dockyard Mazagaon:—

A quantity of old wood cuttings, empty iron drums, wooden cases, casks and scrap iron etc.

MENESSE & CO.,
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Bombay, 25th Sept. 1916.

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WEATHER REPORT

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

SIMLA, Sept. 23.

The storm is moving slightly south of the west and not over the west of Chota Nagpur. It has decreased considerably in intensity and the rainfall associated with it is not unusually large.

Rainfall has been nearly general in Lower Burma, Bengal, Bihar and Orissa, east United Provinces, Central India east in the Central Provinces, Konkan, and Malabar; local in Assam, Mysore, and the north Madras coast. A few falls also occurred in west United Provinces.

The principal amounts are:—Akyab six inches, Rangoon, Kyaukpyu and Cherrapunji two, Cox's Bazar three, Calcutta one and a half, Mymensingh, Dinajpur one, Burdwan, Ranchi, Patna two, Gaya four, Bahraich one, Jhansi, Sutna two, Seoni, Raipur, Mangalore, Mercara one, Calicut one and a half.

Forecast:—Decrease of rainfall in north-east India and increase in regions around Allahabad and Jubulpore.

SIMLA, Sept. 24.

The storm which was over east Chota Nagpur yesterday is now over Jubbulpore travelling in the north-westerly direction. The Bombay monsoon is still weak and very few heavy falls of rain occurred. A depression of the cold-weather type is about to enter north Punjab.

Rainfall has been nearly general in Burma, east United Provinces, Central India east, west Central Provinces, east Central Provinces, Konkan; local in Bengal, Bihar, North West Frontier Provinces, east Central Provinces, Hyderabad and north Madras coast. A few falls also occurred in Assam and Chota Nagpur.

The principal amounts are:—Victoria Point, Diamond Island one and half inches; Tavoy two; Yamethin six; Bhamo two; Maymyo, Sibsagar, Calcutta one; Ranchi, Gaya three; Benares, Allahabad one; Peshawar three quarters; Nowgong one; Sutna three; Jubbulpore four; and Seoni, Pachmarhi one and half.

Forecast:—Increase of rain in the neighbourhood of Agra and extension into Kashmir and the Punjab hills with diminution in the Central Provinces and Bihar and Orissa.

RAINFALL AT BOMBAY.

STATIONS.	24 hours to 8 a.m. of 23rd Sept. 1916.	Total since June 1st 1916.	June 1st to Sept. 23rd. 1915.	June 1st to Sept. 23rd. 1914.
Colaba [Observatory]	0.55	79.47	69.82	80.64
Fort [St. George's Hospital]	0.25	86.02	72.61	83.47
Esplanade [Gok. Tej. Hospital]	0.26	84.35	68.43	85.81
Byculla [J. J. Hospital]	0.12	88.37	75.67	92.51

TEMPERATURE IN BOMBAY.

GOVERNMENT OBSERVATORY, COLABA.
Bombay, 22nd Sept. 1916.

Hours of observations taken at 8 a. m. 10 a. m. 2 p. m. 4 p. m. and 10 p. m.

Barometer corrected to 32 deg Fahr	29.707 Inch.
Temperature of Air	80.8 Deg.
Wet Bulb Thermometer	77.3 "
Do Point	76.1 "
Relative humidity of Air	0.859 "
Extent of cloudy sky (the whole sky cloudy=10)	7.2 "
Maximum temperature of Air	84.6 "
Minimum do	78.4 "
General direction of Wind from midnight to midnight	WNW.,E.S.E.,W.
Movement of Wind do. do.	141 Miles.
Fall of Rain	0.64 Inches
Total fall during month	13.12 "
Do do do. year	79.07 "
Additional fall of rain up to 10 a.m. of 23rd	0.51 "

SUN, MOON AND TIDES IN BOMBAY.

The following are the hours and heights of the tides in Bombay Harbour during the ensuing week. Hour stated in Bombay Mean Time depth of water is at Prince's Dock:—

Day of Week	Day of Month	HIGH WATER. Bombay Mean time.	Depth on Sill	LOW WATER. Day of Month	Bombay Mean time.	Depth on Sill
	Sept	h. m.	ft. in.	Sept	h. m.	ft. in.
Sat.	23	m 9 33	25 5	23	m 2 48	19 9
		9 49a	24 4		3 59a	19 2
Sun.	24	m 10 22	26 0	24	m 3 35	18 7
		10 38a	25 1		4 23a	18 3
Mon.	25	m 10 49	26 7	25	m 4 16	17 11
		11 2a	26 5		4 35a	17 7
Tues.	26	m 11 16	27 1	26	m 4 54	17 6
		11 28a	27 3		5 22a	16 9
Wed.	27	m 11 44	27 5	27	m 5 30	17 3
		12 14a	27 11		5 54a	16 0
Thur.	28	m 11 34	27 7	28	m 5 20	17 2
					5 49a	15 6
Fri.	29	m 0 12	28 3	29	m 6 0	17 5
		0 54	27 6		6 13a	15 2

The following are the hours of sunrise and sunset according to Indian Standard Time during the ensuing week:—

Sept.	Sunrise.	Sunset.
23 (Saturday)	6h 18m.	6h. 35m.
24 (Sunday)	6h. 28m.	6h. 34m.
25 (Monday)	6h. 28m.	6h. 33m.
26 (Tuesday)	6h. 28m.	6h. 33m.
27 (Wednesday)	6h. 28m.	6h. 32m.
28 (Thursday)	6h. 29m.	6h 31m.
29 (Friday)	6h. 29m.	6h. 30m.

PHASES OF THE MOON:—

First Quarter	1916 Sept. 6th	9h.	6.5m. a.m.
Full Moon	" " 12th	2h.	0.9m. a.m.
Last Quarter	" " 19th	11h.	5.3m. a.m.
New Moon	" " 27th	1h.	4.1m. p.m.

DAILY WEATHER REPORT.

Summary of observations recorded at 8 hours on Saturday, the 23rd September 1916, giving data for the preceding 24 hours.

The Punjab.—Skies are clear. Night temperature is in excess at Lahore.

The United Provinces.—Rainfall has been fairly general; Jhansi has had 1.91 in., Cawnpore 0.32 in. and Allahabad 0.31 in. Skies are lightly or moderately clouded. Humidity is normal or in excess.

Sind and Rajputana.—Skies are clear.

Gujarat, Kathiawar and Central India West.—Surat reports 0.56 in. of rain. Skies are clear in Central India West and lightly or moderately clouded elsewhere.

The Central Provinces.—Rainfall has been fairly general; Jubbulpore has had 0.13 in., Sangor and Amraoti 0.10 in. each, Nagpur 0.77 in., Chanda 0.43 in. and Raipur 1.14 in. Skies are moderately clouded.

The Konkan.—Rainfall has been fairly general; Bombay has had 0.55 in., Mormugao 0.10 in. and Karwar 0.24 in. Skies are moderately or heavily clouded.

The Bombay Deccan and Hyderabad.—Sholapur reports 0.32 in. of rain. Skies are lightly or moderately clouded.

General remarks.—Rainfall has increased in the United and the Central Provinces, the Konkan and Malabar; it has been fairly general in these areas and local in Gujarat and the south Bombay Deccan.

Fairly general rain is likely on the west coast of the Peninsula and in the Central Provinces, local rain in the United Provinces and a few showers in the Deccan.

OBSERVATIONS TAKEN AT 8 a. m. on SATURDAY, the 23rd of September 1916.

STATIONS.	Temp. in Shade. Maximum of past 24 hours	Temp. in Shade. Minimum of past 24 hours	Humidity. 8 A. M.	Rainfall; Past 24 hours	Rainfall; Total 1st June to date.	Rainfall; Departure 1st June to date.
PERSIAN GULF—						
Bushire	..	..	..	..	..	..
Do. (22nd Sept.)	85.	73.9	68	..	0	—0.01
Jask	..	95.4	82.6	69	..	0.29	0.23
Do. (Sept.)	..	..	..	..	..	..
Muskat	..	..	..	..	..	..
Do. (22nd Sept.)	98.	3	85.7	75	..	0.58	0.41
PUNJAB—						
Multan	..	..	..	..	..	..
Rawalpindi	..	91.9	70.1	64	..	37.39	15.16
Lahore	..	97.7	76.0	64	..	28.08	8.12
Hissar	..	95.7	73.5	54	..	17.92	..
Ambala	..	94.7	70.3	76	..	28.14	5.65
Delhi	..	93.5	77.1	68	..	24.83	1.95
UNITED PROVINCES—						
Agra	..	93.1	77.6	74	..	27.58	4.23
Mainpuri	..	90	77.5	88	..	32.45	10.08
Jhansi	..	89	76.2	84	1.91	40.38	7.15
Cawnpore	..	89.	76.9	70	0.32	7	..
Allahabad	..	90.	74.1	92	0.21	37.19	24.15
SIND AND RAJPUTANA							
Jacobabad	..	104.7	74.4	73	..	3.17	0.91
Karachi	..	87.	78.1	83	..	21.67	15.84
Ajmer	..	93.	77.0	72	..	20.42	1.80
Jaipur	..	96.	71.4	55	..	19.42	—1.91
Kotah	..	94.	77.6	65	..	29.31	18.38
Mount Abu	..	79.	66.4	84	..	78.37	20.45
GUJARAT, KATHIAWAR AND CENTRAL INDIA WEST—							
Bhuj	..	92.	74.7	72	..	12.92	—0.16
Dwarka	..	87.	79.2	79	..	11.10	—2.48
Veraval	..	94.	78.0	87	..	22.92	6.10
Rajkot	..	92.	74.8	89	0.07	24.20	—0.86
Bhavnagar Para	..	92.	75.4	87	0.02	19.19	—0.30
Surat	..	89.	75.9	87	0.56	61.22	12.73
Ahmedabad	..	95.	76.8	77	..	23.35	—5.24
Deesa	..	94.	77.2	81	..	33.90	0.92
Neemuch	..	91.	77.8	74	..	33.39	6.85
Indore	..	90.	71.4	76	..	34.59	5.30
CENTRAL PROVINCES—							
Jubbulpore	..	87.	72.5	85	0.13	38.42	—10.85
Saugor	..	84.	67.6	86	0.10	31.98	—8.94
Hoshangabad	..	89.	75.4	85	..	47.97	3.87
Khandwa	..	92.	75.3	80	..	28.97	2.82
Akola	..	91.	2	83	..	35.64	9.11
Amraoti	..	91.	73.3	92	0.10	35.54	3.06
Nagpur	..	88.	75.7	89	0.11	42.63	1.02
Chanda	..	89.	7	91	0.43	40.54	3.42
Raipur	..	88.	73.5	87	1.14	33.18	—9.92
KONKAN—							
Bombay	..	84.	76.4	92	0.55	79.47	12.32
Ratnagiri	..	88.	73.9	84	..	13027	36.70
Marmugao	..	85.	77.4	89	0.10	11960	29.13
Karwar	..	90.	9	94	0.24	12513	15.71
BOMBAY DACCAN AND HYDERABAD—							
Malegaon	..	92.	70.	76	..	20.33	2.63
Ahmednagar	..	86.	67.	80	..	25.94	7.25
Poona	..	84.	66.	83	..	20.25	1.16
Sholapur	..	88.	70.	82	0.32	31.42	10.43
Bijapur	..	85.	68.	77	0.05	19.13	6. 7
Belgaum	..	78.	64.	92	0.04	38.25	—3.39
Aurangabad	..	86.	69.	79	..	41.11	17.77
Kimarabad (Indur)	..	89.	72.	83	..	30.80	—4.04
Hyderabad	..	85.	7	88	..	25.74	12.84
MALABAR AND CEYLON							
Mangalore	..	81.	72.	88	1.06	102	—4.82
Calicut	..	81.	74.	97	0.39	87.38	0.28
Cochin	..	85.	74.	86	0.55	78.36	7.62
Colombo	..	85.	77.	89	..	28.93	9.05
MADRAS (EXCLUDING MALABAR) AND MYSORE—							
Masulipatam	..	94.	1	80.	70	..	40.12	17.95
Bellary	..	89.	72.	7	71	..	15.52	9.39
Cuddapah	..	92.	77.	4	73	..	29.98	10.88
Madras	..	94.	4	80.	9	69	..	13.00	—1.75
Bangalore	..	79.	65.	1	91	0.06	28.79	10.86
Coimbatore	..	86.	71.	0	78	..	10.56	5.47
Trichinopoly	..	93.	77.	0	71	..	18.43	8.36
Negapatam	..	93.	76.	9	85	..	15.76	5.93

STANDARD BAROMETER READING.

The following information is published in order that vessels in the Bombay Harbour may by comparison with a standard instrument ascertain the errors of their barometers:—

The reading of the Standard Barometer in the Colaba Observatory corrected for index error and reduced to 80 deg. F. and to the level of the tide, at 8-45 a.m., Standard Time on the 23rd September 1916 was 29.764 inches. For temperature corrections applicable to mercurial barometer of ships the reading of the ship's barometer has to be increased or decreased by .031 inch for every 5 degrees according as the temperature of the attached thermometer is respectively below or above 80 deg. F. In case of the aneroid no temperature correction is needed. But for comparison at 80 deg. F. all aneroid readings should be increased by .138 inch. For correcting the ship's barometer either mercurial or aneroid for the height of the barometer cistern above the tide level in the stream at 8-45 a.m. Standard Time, the ship's barometer reading should be increased by .010 inch for every 10 feet of the height to make it comparable with the observatory barometer reading given.

SHIPPING.

ARRIVAL.

Sept. 23rd.

Asia Maru	Nisters	Busra, Sept. 13
City of Manchester	Moztin	New York, Aug. 1

DEPARTURE.

Sept. 23rd.

Nore	Asbury	Shanghai

The following vessels began to load on Saturday.

Steamer *Salsette	for	Aden
" Berbera	for	Karachi

*To arrive.

Sept. 23.

S. S. City of Manchester:—The Ellerman Line steamer City of Manchester, 3,568 tons, Captain D. Moztin, arrived in harbour on Saturday from New Yrok, which port she had left on the 1st ultimo, with a general cargo and 2 passengers.

S. S. Lhasa:—The B. I. S. N. Company's steamer Lhasa, 951 tons, Captain C. R. King, sailed on Saturday from the Bombay harbour for Karachi, with a general cargo and passengers.

S. S. Asia Maru:—The steamer Asia Maru, 1,482 tons, Captain Y. Nister, arrived in harbour on Saturday evening from Busra, 13th instant, with a general cargo and 9 deck passengers.

S. S. Indo Maru:—The O. S. K. steamer Indo Maru left Singapore for Moji (Homeward bound) on the 22nd instant.

Saturday, 23rd September, 1916.

PRINCE'S DOCK.

A. Dilwara	Walker	M. M. & Co
B. Shinkoku Maru	Kuchiki	O. S. K.
D. & E. Berbera	Steadmen	M. M. & Co.
G. Dovre	Siquiland	J. M. & Co.
H. Maur	Svensen	F. F. C. & Co.,
N. Benvenue	Addison	W. & A. G. & Co.

HARBOUR WALL.

Netravati, Indravati, Irrawadi		B. S. N. Co.

VICTORIA DOCK.

1 Scindia	Erskin	W. & A. G. & Co
3 Kowsit	Wilson	T. M. & Co'.
4 Ischia	Maoletti	Rubattino Co
8 Rostock	Bates	W. & A. G. & Co
10 & 11 Rangoon Maru		N. Y. Kaisha
12 & 13 Dunera	Fyah	M. M. & Co.

H. D. D.

Tug Harold		H. I. Dixon & Co.

M. W. D. D.

Saraswati		B. S. N. Co.

ALEXANDRA DOCK.

3 Sangola		M. M. & Co.
5 Nagoya	Garwood	P. & O. S. N. & Co.
6 Pultala	Fenton	M. M. & Co.

HARBOUR WALL.

Haxby		W. & A. G. & Co.

VESSELS IN THE STREAM.

Baroda		M. M. & Co.
City of Manchester	Moztin	K. N. & Co
Din	Pallett	W. & A. G. & Co.
Flor-de-Diu	Aboo	Bhimji.
Nurani	Thomson	B. & P. S. N. Co
Pundra	Andreascu	M. M. & Co.
Sangola	Baker	M. M. & Co.
Virawa	Hepburn	M. M. & Co.

EXPORTS.

Sept. 23.

FOR GLASGOW.

Scindia (s) 62 cwts. wooden staves for casks, Herbert Son and Co; 17 cwts. old iron hoops, Herbert Son and Co.

FOR MARSEILLES.

Scindia (s) 275 bales cotton fly, Commercial Trading Co.

FOR LONDON.

Nagoya (s) 17 casks goat skins, E. N. Stein; 5 cwts. mace, M. A. Kayum; 200 lbs. cardamoms, M. A. Kayum; 6 bales woollen cuttings, M. A. Kayum; 375 cwts. kismiss, R. Jiwandas and Co; 53 cases bristles, Chartered Bank of India, China and Australia; 15 cwts. fishmaws, R. Dhunjee and Co.; 3½ cwts. ivory, K. M. Nathoo.

FOR GENOA.

Ischia (s) 1 bale goat skin, Cox's Shipping Agency; 3,000 bales cotton, Gaddum and Co.; 1,200 cwts. tamarind, Volkart Brothers.

FOR OSAKA.

Rangoon Maru (s) 1,000 bales cotton, N. M. K. Kaisha.

Shinkoku Maru (s) 300 bales cotton, T. Nishamatsu and Co.; 500 bales cotton, N. M. K. Kaisha.

FOR KOBE.

Rangoon Maru (s) 800 bales cotton, N. M. K. Kaisha; 310 bales cotton, M. B. Kaisha; 100 bales cotton, H. Surajmal and Co.; 203 bales cotton, Tata Sons and Co.

Shinkoku Maru (s) 100 bales cotton, H. Rambhagat and Co.; 362 bales cotton, T. Nishamatsu and Co.; 500 bales cotton, N. M. K. Kaisha; 200 bales cotton, Bombay Co.

FOR YOKOHAMA.

Rangoon Maru (s) 13 cases Indian chutney, Manockji Poonjiaji and Sons.

Shinkoku Maru (s) 100 bales cotton, T. Nishamatsu and Co.

FOR SHANGHAI.

Rangoon Maru (s) 50 bales cotton twist, M. Amersey and Co.; 108 bales cotton twist, M. B. Kaisha.

FOR HONGKONG.

Rangoon Maru (s) 192 bales cotton yarn, M. B. Kaisha; 45 cwts. seena leaves, H. Abdeali.

Nore (s) 6 cwts. ivory, A. H. Mawji and Co.

FOR MOJI.

Shinkoku Maru (s) 86 bales cotton, T. Nishamatsu and Co.

IMPORTS.

Sept. 23.

S. S. Ischia from Genoa, Agents Maritima Italiana.—822 cases cottons, 5 cases watches, 19 casks 4 cases colour, 9 cases medicine, 6 cases perfumery, 2 cases beads, 9 cases marble works, 75 cases cochineal, 1,200 crates flooring tiles, 22 cases liquors, 21 cases wine, 28 cases 129 packages vermicelli, 350 cases milk, 59 cases vermouth, 48 casks earthenware, 4 cases essence, 28 cases paper, 1 parcel gold coins, 4 bags sugar, 5 cases horns, 63 cases soap, 300 bags sulphur, 50 cases coral sticks, 21 bales cotton yarn, 40 cases silk goods, 2 cases chocolate, 74 cases cotton and silk goods, 25 bags dry roots, 4 barrels minio, 2 cases tartaric acid, 8 cases coral work, 5 cases copper foils, 2 packages pharmaceutical products, 23 barrels shots, 20 barrels litharge, 107 cases woollen goods, 67 packages gum, 1 case cigarettes, 46 packages gum olibanum, 17 packages dhavno, 2 packages old brass, 5 packages old zinc, 24 packages cow hides, 22 packages skins.

S. S. Virawa from Colombo, Agents M. M. and Co.—997 cases brandy, 4 cases perfumery, 5 packages varnish, 1 case copper foils, 4 cases drugs, 6 cases umbrellas, 3 cases kariapagalam, 50 bags cummin seeds, 972 bundles mats, 22 robbins cardamome, 12 cases mixed tissues, 13 cases cotton tissues, 4 cases saffron, 7 cases silk and cotton goods, 7 casks vinegar, 15 bags nux vomica, 2 cases conserves, 19 bundles sardines, 70 cases wine, 151 cases vermouth, 5 cases oil, 274 bundles canes, 397 cases 88 chests tea, 511 bags senna, 1,472 bales cotton, 1,530 bags cocoanuts, 53 bags coffee, 245 bags 725 robbins copra, 150 casks cocoanut oil, 12 bags cow hides, 480 bundles pine wood, 7 bundles casens root, 15 bales cotton waste, 30 bales coir fibre, 2,837 pieces 461 bundles 142 numbers scantling, 24 crates 34 bundles door frames, 341 bundles sapan wood, 152 coils 332 jottas coir rope, 428 bales 671 jottas coir yarn, 132 bags 808 baskets ginger.

The Burma Government have directed the acquisition by the Collector of 414 acres of land now covered with woods, pineapple and jungle on the Promo road for the Burma University.

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POONA RACES.

RESULTS AND DETAILS.

The following are the detailed results of Saturday's racing at Poona. A descriptive account appears in our Sunday Edition:—

THE MEKRAN PLATE, Division II.—Distance 6 Furlongs.

Mr. Nasir Rajmahomed's PRESENT, 9-2, Bowley 1
Chief of Mahisal's ACTIVE, 7-9, Pullin ... 2
Mr. Gahagan's REVIVOR, 9-4, Trenoweth 3
Mr. A. A. Makarji's REMMES, 8-9, Zamil 4

Also Ran:—Pharoah 8-11, Portugal 8-7, American Spot 8-7, Shailan 8-6, Garibaldi 8-3, Subbiaca 8-3, Messina 8-2 (cd. 8-3), Ivanhoe 8-2, Raven 7-13, England 7-11, Romao 7-10, Bayonet 7-10, Cox 7-7, Vudhia 7-0.

The Race:—From a good start Ivanhoe led for a brief space, then Active attended by Revivor came to the front and from five furlongs Active held a clear lead of Revivor and these two were first round into the straight. Then from half distance Present made his effort and catching up the leaders finally won by half length, two lengths, neck.

Time:—1 min. 25 secs.

Totes Paid:—Winner, Rs. 176. Places, Rs. 62, Rs. 67-8 and Rs. 48-8.

THE SINGARH PLATE.—Distance 5 Furlongs.

Mr. Dara Cowasjee's RED CROSS, 8-9, Hardy 1
Messrs. A. Dakeel and Syed Ahmed's DEFENDER, 8-11, Ruiz 2
Mr. S. A. Wahed's SIRMUST, 7-8, Buckley 3
Messrs. Skelton and Pechey's TENEBREUSE, 8-7, F. Templeman 4

Also Ran:—Section 9-10, Arrow 9-7, Planet 7-4, Fado 7-3 (cd. 7-5), Rummy 7-2.

The Race:—After one break away they got away on good terms, when Rummy forced the pace for three furlongs. Then his bolt was shot and Red Cross, Defender and Sirmust were in front from home turn and these made a very fine race up the straight, Red Cross lasting out. Won by one length, neck, 1½ lengths.

Time:—1 min. 9 2/5 secs.

Totes Paid:—Winner, Rs. 54. Places, Rs. 19, Rs. 19-8 and Rs. 26.

THE STEWARDS PLATE.—Distance 1½ Miles.

Mr. Wilton Bartleet's SANTA BARBARA, 9-7, Trenoweth 1
Mr. Gahagan's NORTH, 6-0 (cd. 7-0), Lynch 2
Maharajah of Gwalior's PHILANTHROPIST, 8-2, Trahan 3
Mr. Galstaun's SHINING WAY, 9-5, Ruiz 4

Also Ran:—Partial Eclipse 9-0, Pretty Good Sort 8-10, Martinet 8-3, Miss Drake 7-12, Wavestar 7-2, Decorum 6-9 (cd. 7-0), St. Alban 6-0 (cd. 6-13), Larrikin 6-0 (cd. 8-12), Silver Memory 6-0.

The Race:—They got away to a good start, when Philanthropist led for the first furlong, then Pretty Good Sort attended by North, went to the front and settled down with running and here Philanthropist was lying third and Santa Barbara fourth and this order was preserved till they got to five furlongs, where Santa Barbara improved her place and Pretty Good Sort fell back. Then turning for home Santa Barbara was in the lead from North, Shining Way and Philanthropist till from the front second stand the last named took the third place and out of a sensational finish Santa Barbara won by short head, a head and neck.

Time:—2 mins. 41 2/5 secs.

Totes Paid:—Winner, Rs. 81. Places, Rs. 29-8, Rs. 43 and Rs. 16-8.

THE KIRKEE PLATE.—Distance 5 Furlongs.

Mr. Mowlud Haji Ali's VELLARD, 7-7, Pullin 1
Messrs. Aga Mirza Ahmed and A. Essa's BAHLOOL, 8-2, Buckley 2
General Obaidulla Khan's POLISH, 8-12, Bowley 3
Mr. Ainsworth's MAT-HAT-BEG, 6-7 (cd. 6-11), Ringstead 4

Also Ran:—Ace of Hearts 8-8, Durban 8-6, Maasal 8-2, Dhaidan 7-6, Crusador 6-7 (cd. 6-11).

The Race:—They were sent away abreast and soon Crusader and Mat-hat-Beg in company led the field to the three furlongs, where Crusader fell away and Vellard, Bahlool and Polish were first round into the straight and were later joined by Mat-hat-Beg and a great race home ensued, Vellard winning by two lengths, short head and half length.

Time:—1 min. 9 secs.

Totes Paid:—Winner, Rs. 105-8. Places, Rs. 38-8, Rs. 50-8 and Rs. 22.

THE AGA SHAMSHUDIN PLATE.—Distance 7 Furlongs.

Mr. M. Goculdas' PRIMROSE MORN, 8-5, W. Huxley 1
Messrs. E. Ramshaw and A. Nanji's PANTOMIME II, 8-0, Bowley 2
Mr. Pallonji's RADIANT, 9-6, Barrett ... 3
Mr. R. R. S.'s CRITON, 8-2, Pullin 4

Also Ran:—Silver Balm 9-13, Polish 9-0, Jove 9-0, St. Andrews 8-0, Lakme 7-12, Joyous Guard 7-7, Vanity Box 7-0, Fire Finch 7-0, Twa Brigs 6-12 (cd. 6-13).

The Race:—From a fairly good start Fire Finch led from Primrose Morn; then at the turn for home the latter assumed the lead and soon increased this, finally winning comfortably by 2½ lengths. There was a great race for the second and third places between Pantomime II, Radiant and Criton, the former securing it by half length and neck.

Time:—1 min. 29 secs.

Totes Paid:—Winner, Rs. 61. Places, Rs. 34-8, Rs. 26 and Rs. 73-8.

THE BEDOUIN PLATE.—Distance 7 Furlongs.

Mr. A. A. Mahomed's BEYRUT, 9-0, A. Templeman 1
Mr. Garda's NIZAM-UL-MULK, 7-9, Lynch 2
Messrs. J. Stewart and Heath's NIGHT HAWK, 8-2, Hardy 3

FAMOUS COUNTRY-BRED RACE HORSES FOR SALE

Offers are invited upto 5th October next for the following well-known C. B. Race Horses.

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General Nawabzada Obaidulla Khan's GOLD FISH II, 9-12, Bowley 4
Also Ran:—Beloz 8-13, Zaki Pasha, 8-5, White Silk 7-12, Excelsior 7-11, Tajilmulook 6-9 (cd. 6-12).

The Race:—They were despatched on even terms, when Night Hawk took the lead, but after the first furlong he was deprived of it by White Silk and Nizam-ul-Mulk and these two led into the straight, where from the distance Beyrut came up to them and soon after White Silk fell back and Beyrut drawing to the front won by 2½ lengths, four lengths, neck.

Totes Paid:—Winner, Rs. 96. Places, Rs. 43, Rs. 32 and Rs. 22-8.

SECOND MEETING THIRD DAY.

We are requested to state that the Programme for the Poona Races, 2nd Meeting, 3rd day will be run on Wednesday, the 27th instant.

RUGBY FOOTBALL AT PANCHGANI.

IN AID OF WAR FUND.

A Rugby Football match was recently played on the grounds of the Boys' High School Panchgani in aid of the War Fund. The rival teams were the 1st fifteens of the "Red" and "Blue" Houses of the Boys' High School and the game was the final in the competition for the Rugby Cup. A large number of spectators watched the game which is quite new at Panchgani. The game was well contested throughout and at times was most exciting. During the first half the "Blues" did most of the attacking and after some good passing scored a try. The "Reds" defended well, especially their captain N. Lester-who by his strong tackling prevented his opponents scoring more than once. During the second period the "Reds" tried hard to equalize and Lester after a fine run from half way almost scored. No further scoring, however, resulted and the "Blues" ran out winners by three points to nil.

At the conclusion of the game the Cup and other prizes were kindly presented to the teams by Miss Kimmins Lady Principal of the Girls' High School.

THE SUBJECTS COMMITTEE OF THE PROVINCIAL CONFERENCE.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE "CHRONICLE."

Sir,—May I request you to permit me to make one suggestion to the Provincial Congress Committee in view of the forthcoming session of the Provincial Conference at Ahmedabad next month. The Congress constitution lays down definite rules about the number of representatives which each province might elect to the Subjects Committee of the Congress, though it would have been certainly better if that number had been fixed in some proportion to the number of districts in each province. But, so far as I am aware, the Provincial Congress Committee has made no rules which would govern the election of delegates to the Subjects Committee of the Provincial Conference. It would seem necessary that following the method of the Congress constitution the Provincial Committee should fix the number of representatives which each district might be entitled to send to the Subjects Committee which would provide for the special representation of the district in which the session is held and also for the appointment of ex-officio members. It is likely that the delegates might be sharply divided in their opinions on certain current questions and movements—more especially so at a time like the present when the atmosphere is surcharged with new ideas and organisations. A scramble might conceivably ensue for the election of more delegates from certain districts in preference to some others and unseemly scenes might ensue thereon. I therefore earnestly request the secretaries of the Provincial Congress Committee to frame and pass rules regulating the representation of delegates on a Subjects Committee of the Conference.—Yours, etc.

'A CONGRESSMAN.

Ahmedabad, Sept. 21.

The death has occurred at Mussoorie of Mr. Vincent Mackinnon, well-known resident of the place.

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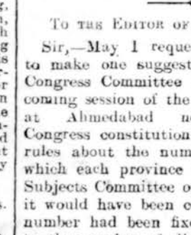

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COMMERCIAL.

CABLE QUOTATIONS.

COTTON.

LIVERPOOL COTTON.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

Liverpool, Sept. 22nd.

	Bales.
Total Day's Sales at Liverpool	7,000
" " Sales on Spec. & for Exp.	500
" " Sales of East Indian	300
" " Imports	1,080
Mid. Americans	9.62
Egyptian F. G. F.	13.65
New York 11 a.m. (As known in Liverpool at closing time.)	Oct. 16.64
	Jan. 16.50
New Orleans 10 a.m.	Oct. 15.64
	Jan. 16.64

CLOSING PRICES.

Liverpool, Sept. 22nd.

Months	To-day's closing price.
September	9.59
Sept.-Oct.	9.55
Oct.-Nov.	9.54
Nov.-Dec.	9.54
Dec.-Jan.	9.55
Jan.-Feb.	9.57
Feb.-March	9.58
March-April	9.59
April-May	9.60
May-June	9.61
June-July	9.59
July-Aug.	9.56
Aug.-Sept.	9.35
Sept.-Oct.	9.14

CLOSING EGYPTIAN FUTURE PRICES.

Liverpool, Sept. 22nd.

Months.	To-day's price.
November	13.60
January	13.58
March	13.65

ADDITIONAL QUOTATIONS.

Liverpool, Sept. 22nd.

M. G. Bengal Good	6.79
" " Fully Good	6.97
" " Fine	7.15
" No. 1 Oomra Good	7.39
" " Fully Good	7.97
" " Fine	7.75
" Broach Good	8.79
" " Fully Good	8.97
" " Fine	9.15
" Scinde Good	6.79
" " Fully Good	6.97
" " Fine	7.15

LIVERPOOL COTTON STATISTICS.

London, Sept. 22nd.

	Bales.
Total Actual Export	1,000
" Forwarded	65,000
" Imports	50,000
" Stock	589,000
Actual Weekly Sales	43,000

AMERICAN MARKETS.

New York, Sept. 23rd.

Day's Receipts at all U.S. Ports	44,000
" Exports to Great Britain	1,000
" " to Continent	Nil.
Futures at New York October	15.82
" " January	16.13
Spot Cotton at New York	15.95
" at New Orleans	15.50
Futures at New Orleans October	16.44
" " January	16.84
Fair Rio Coffee (No. 7 quality)	9 7/8
Demand Bills	4.75.75
Silver Commercial Bars	68⅝

New York, Sept. 22nd.

	Bales.
Week's Receipts of Cotton at U.S. Ports	226,000
" Exports to Great Britain	22,000
" " to France and Continent	20,000
" " to Japan	7,000
Stock of Cotton at U.S. Ports	665,000
" " at Interior Ports	533,000

MONEY MARKET.

London, Sept. 22nd.

Bar Silver Spot	32⅛
Closing Tone of Silver:—Small Coinage business—Steady.	
Discount, Bank of England Rate 6 per cent. since 12th July.	
Discount Bank Bills 3 m/st	5⅝
" Indian Bank Bills 6 m/st	5 13/16
" Fine Trade Bills 3 months	6⅛
" " " 6 "	6⅛
Interest day to day loans	4½
" 7 day market loans	4½

London, Sept. 22nd.

Consols 2½%	60⅛
Rupee Paper 3½ Nominal	61½
Indian Stock 3½ (Sterling Loan)	70
Government Securities 3 %	60
Ex. On London at Paris Francs	27.58

THE MAILS.

London, Sept. 22nd.

The Bombay Mails have been delivered here.

WAR LOANS.

London, Sept. 22nd.

3½ %1925—1928	£86⅛
4½ %1925—1945	£96⅛

MISCELLANEOUS MARKETS.

London, Sept. 22nd.

WHEAT.

Wheat Choice White Karachi per 492 lbs. C. I. F. October Sellers	71

SOUTH AMERICAN.

Rozario Santa Fe—61½ lbs 15th. Sept. to 15th. Oct. Sellers	68/6

BARLEY.

Karachi Barley. Sept.-Oct. Sellers	50/6

SEEDS.

Rapeseed, Ferozepore Usual Bold Sept.-Oct. Paid	69/6
Rapeseed, Brown, Cawnpore 416 lbs. ex-Ship Nominal.	
Linseed Bombay per 416 lbs. ex-Ship May-Oct.-Nov. Value-Quiet	82/6
Toria Rapeseed Sept.-Oct. Buyers	70

LINSEED.

Linseed Calcutta Sept.-Oct. Paid-Easier	78/3

METALS.

English best Selected Copper	£123½
Standard Copper G.M.G.	£116
Copper Braziers	£156
Yellow Metal	15½
Hard Spelter	45
Tin Plates I.C. Coke 14 × 20, 112 sheets per box weighing 90lbs. C.I.F. Liverpool	18/3
Iron Corrugated sheets 24 gauge G.O.B. 4% F.O.B. Liverpool	£26/5/0
Pig Iron No. 1, Gartsherrie	£6-4-6

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Coals:—Cardiff to Bombay Canal.—Nominal.

JAVA SUGAR.

Raw Java Nos. 16/18 C. & F. Calcutta Oct.-Dec. Value	21/9
Do. do. Bombay Oct.-Dec. Value	22
Do. do. Karachi Oct.-Dec. Value	22/1
Fine White Java C. & F. Calcutta Oct.-Dec	24/3
Do. do. Bombay Oct.-Dec.	24/6
Do. do. Karachi Oct.-Dec.	24/7

RUBBER.

Para Rubber Fine Hard Cure Oct. Sellers.	3/1½
Plantation First Latex Crepe October	2/5

BOMBAY MARKETS.

COTTON.

RECEIPTS OF COTTON AND PRODUCE.

The following are the receipts of Cotton, Wheat, and Seeds, by rail and sea into Bombay during the 24 hours up till 6 p.m. on 22nd September 1916:—

Cotton	1,720 Bales.
Wheat	8,196 cwts.
Linseed	11,528 "
Rape, Rai and Mustard Seed	533 "
Ginjellyseed	346 "
Poppyseed	137 "
Groundnuts	1,347 "
Castorseed	2,984 "
Rice	1,117 "
Cottonseed	817 "
Mowraseed	25 "
Gram	612 "
Joowar	5,918 "
Barley	876 "

EXCHANGE.

Banks' Selling Rates:—	
T. T. Ready	1s. 4 1-16d. to 1s. 4 3-32d.
D. D. Mail	1s. 4 3-32d. to 1s. 4 1/8d.
T. T. Forward	1s. 4 1/8d. 15th Oct.
Banks' Buying Rates:—	
Credits 3 Months' Sight Ready	1s. 4 7-16d. to 1s. 4 15-32d.
Do. do. Forward	to 1s. 4½d. Oct.
Do. 6 m-s. Ready	to 1s. 4 11-16d
Francs 3 m-s. do.	193½
60 d-s. Hong-Kong	160⅝
Do. Shanghai	227½
Do. Yokohama	155¼ to 155½

BULLION.

	Rs.
English Bar Gold	27-0-0
Australian do.	26-0-0
Bombay do.	25-8-0
English Shield Sovereigns	17-4-0
English Dragons	16-2-0
Silver ex-duty Ready	82-1-0

SHARE MARKET.

(From our Correspondent.)

July 24.

In the Share market to-day a considerable activity prevailed in the Tata Iron and Steel Coy's Ordinary and Deferred shares. The Tata Oordinary Shares opened very strong at Rs. 340 and in a short while the rates took a sudden upward turn and the closing rate was Rs. 370. The Tata Deferred shares fluctuated between Rs. 1,450 and Rs. 1,500; they closed at Rs. 1,450 for October.

In the Cotton Mill shares for October Century Mill shares stood at Rs. 380 Central India at Rs. 2,550, Colaba at Rs. 1,435, Crescent at Rs. 225, Currimbhoy at Rs. 417-8 and David at Rs. 630.

Fazulbhoy were strong at Rs. 812-8, Indore Malvas at Rs. 535.

Madhowji Mills shares stood at Rs. 1,580 x.d., Morarji have improved to Rs. 1,700.

Pearls stood at Rs. 590, Simplex at Rs. 535 and Standard at Rs. 1,730.

Bombay Burma were quoted at Rs. 1,210 and Tata Hydro Ordinary at Rs. 1,440.

Bombay Tramway Ordinary shares have improved to Rs. 345/50.

Shivrajpur were steady at Rs. 45-8.

Bombay Steam Ordinary changed hands at Rs. 340.

Among Railway shares Tapti Valley were quoted at Rs. 582-8, Guzerat at Rs. 163, Mandve Bhon Rs. 90, Tara Sirajgang Rs. 100.

Bank of India have touched Rs. 80.

3½ per cent. Government Paper is steady at Rs. 79¼ to Rs. 79½; business is very limited.

Warrants are quoted at Rs. 10.

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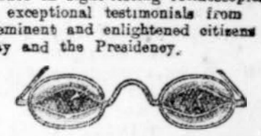

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Hindu: 14th of Bhadrapad, 1972.
Mahomedan: 26th of Jelkad, 1334.
Parsi: 15th of Farvardin, 1286.
Sunrise: 6h. 28m. Sunset: 6h. 33m.
Phases of the Moon: New Moon 27th Sept.

LOCAL ENGAGEMENTS.

Mails for Seychelles, Lamu, Mombassa, Ibo-Chindi, Zanzibar, Quilimane, Mozambique, Beira and L. Marquis per steamer Dilwara will be closed at the General Post Office at 4 p.m. Correspondence for Natal, Cape Colony and other places in South Africa will also be forwarded by this steamer.

TUESDAY, September 26.

P. and O. Company's mail steamer Salsette leaves Bombay. Mails close at the G. P.O. at 3 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, September 27.

Standing Committee Meeting of the Bombay Municipal Corporation, 4-10 p.m.

SATURDAY, September 30.

Indian Merchants' Chamber and Bureau, Annual Meeting, 3-40 p.m.

DAILY.

Excelsior Theatre, Bandman Varieties at 6-30 and 9-45 p.m.
Royal Opera House: Cinema, 6-45 p.m. and 10 p.m.
America-India Cinema, Charni Road, 6-45 to 8-15, 8-30 to 10-0, and 10-15 to 11-45.
New Alexandra Cinema, Crawford Market, 7, 8-45 and 10-30 p.m.
Olympia Cinema: Sandhurst Road, 6-30, 8-45 and 10-30 p.m.

BOMBAY LIGHT HORSE.

Squadron Orders by Lieut.-Col. Sir Stanley Reed, Kt., Commanding.

Sept. 25.

Orderly N. C. Officers for the week ending 30th September.—Sergeant C. H. Hewlett and Corpl. O. Meldrum.

Riding School.—Riding School daily except Thursday 7-15 a.m.

Dismounted Drill.—There will be drill in the Town Hall on Tuesday evening next, the 26th inst. at 6 p.m.

Signalling Class.—Signalling Class under Major Wallis (I.A.) will be held this week as follows:—

Mornings. Tuesday, Friday and Saturday at 7 a.m.

Evenings.—Monday, Wednesday and Thursday at 6-15 p.m.

Squadron Parade.—The Squadron will parade on Thursday morning next, the 28th inst. Rendezvous Church Gate Station 7-15 a.m.

Dress.—Khaki Shirts, Regimental saddles, No Bandoliers.

Enrolment.—The undernamed member having joined is taken on the strength and posted to "C" Troop:—

Trooper Arthur Garrett Rice.

Leave.—The undernamed member is granted leave of absence from Bombay:—

Trooper A. R. Wilkinson, "B" Troop, from 24th Sept. to 23rd Oct. 1916.

(Sd.) F. C. Annesley, 2nd Lieut.
Actg Adjutant Bombay Light Horse.

BOMBAY VOLUNTEER ARTILLERY.

Corps Orders by the Hon. Lieut.-Col. J. S. Wardlaw-Milne, Commanding.

Sept. 23.

No. 313 DUTIES:—

Duties for the week commencing Monday 25th instant:—

Orderly Officer for the ensuing week 2nd Lieut. W. N. Cartland.

Orderly Officer next for duty Lieut. A. M. Green.

Orderly Sergt. No. 1 Coy. Sergt. W. A. Niven.

Orderly Sergt. No. 2 Coy. Sergt. W. H. Stubbs.

Orderly Sergt. E. E. Coy. Corpl. W. H. Walton.

No. 314. PARADES.—

Tuesday 26th and Friday 29th inst. 15pr. B. L. Gun Drill and instructions.

P. H. Retellack, Capt.
Adjutant, Bombay Volunteer Artillery.

NOTICES.

A Dance will take place in the Town Hall on 27th inst. commencing at 9-30 p.m. Admission tickets Rs. 3 lady and gent, Re. 1-8 extra lady. Tickets may be obtained from Headquarters, Bazar Gate Street, Fort, and also from Entertainment Committee and at Town Hall on night of Dance.

There will be a meeting of Staff Sergeants and Sergeant of Nos. 1, 2, and E. E. Companies at Headquarters on Tuesday the 26th inst. at 7 p.m.

Dress.—Plain clothes.

There will be a meeting of the Entertainment Committee at 6-45 p.m. on Monday evening the 25th inst. at Headquarters.

BOMBAY VOLUNTEER RIFLES.

Regimental Orders by the Hon. Lieut. Col. P. R. Cadell, C.I.E. Commanding.

Sept. 25.

332. Battalion Duties.—Orderly Sergeants will be furnished by "B" Company during week ending 30th inst. Next for Duty "C" Company.

333. Company Field Training:—

Detail.—Sunday October 1st "D" Company
Friday October 6th "G" Company
Sunday October 8th "G" Company.
Sunday October 15th "E" Company.

Companies will parade at Bori Bunder Station at 6 a.m. on above dates and will return to Bombay by 5 p.m. Haversack rations and water bottles to be carried.

Dress.—At option of Officers Commanding Companies.

334. Musketry.—The Range at Ghat Kopar is allotted for Class firing as follows.—

September 24th to 30th, both days inclusive "G" Company.

October 2nd to 9th (except on 1st, 6th, 8th) "A" Company.

October 10th to 20th (except on 15th) "C" Company.

335. Miniature Range.—From October 1st, the Miniature Range will be allotted in accordance with schedule of Training to be issued to Officers Commanding Companies.

336. Signalling.—A Signalling Class open to any member of the Corps is held at the Volunteer Club at 6-30 p.m. on Tuesdays and Thursdays.

337. Parades.—"B" Coy. Maxim Gun Class every Wednesday at 7 a.m. at Headquarters.

"C" Coy. will parade at Headquarters on Wednesday 27th inst. at 6-15 p.m.

Drill Order with helmets.

"F" Coy.—Parade for all 2nd Class Shots in the Company every Friday evening at Headquarters at 6-15 p.m.

Dress Drill Order without arms.

"G" Company.—There will be no Company Parades during the week.

There will be a N. C. Officers parade on Tuesday 26th September, at the Gymkhana 7-15 a.m.

"H" Company.—Monday.—The Coy. will parade at 4-30 p.m. as strong as possible. Dress. Plain clothes without arms, skirmishing.

Tuesday.—Miniature Range at 4-30 p.m. Spoon Shoot.

Wednesday.—Bugles and Drums at 4-30 p.m.

Thursday.—Lecture at 5 p.m. Theory of the rifle.

Friday.—Band practice and Miniature Range at 4-30 p.m.

Sunday.—Miniature Range from 8-30 to 11 a.m.

"J" Company.—Coy. parade of all Sections at the Volunteer Club on Tuesday 26th inst. at 6-30 p.m.

Dress.—Drill Order (Shorts) doublets and canes. Pencils and notebooks must be brought.

"J" Coy. will parade as strong as possible at Headquarters at 6-30 p.m. Thursday Sept. 28th to draw arms.

Dress.—Mufti.

338. Leave.—Major C. N. Moberly is granted privilege leave in India from 12th October to 18th November 1916 vide Brigade Order No. 393 dated 20th September 1916.

339. Staff.—With reference to above Order, Lieut. H. D. Townend will perform the duties of Adjutant during Major C. N. Moberly's absence.

340. The following extract from Govt. of Bombay Notification No. 6031 dated 5th September 1916, is republished for information:—

Second Lieut. A. R. Burnett-Hurst, Allahabad Vol. Rifles; is transfered to the Bombay Vol. Rifles with effect from the 4th August 1916.

341. Transfer.—No. 7127 Vol. W. Hughes, is transferred from "A" Company to the Reserve from this date.

342. Enrolment.—The undernamed having been enrolled is taken on the strength of the Corps and posted to "A" Coy. No. 9027 Vol. M. O. Marchant.

(Sd.) C. N. Moberly, Major,
Adjutant Bombay Volunteer Rifles.

POONA VOLUNTEER RIFLES.

Corps Orders by Lieut.-Colonel G. K. Walker, C.I.E., Commanding, Poona Volunteer Rifles.

POONA, Sept. 25.

895—Drill and Instruction.—Parades for the week ending 30th September, 1916:—

At Headquarters—

"A" Company, Wednesday, at 7-15 a.m., Drill order, Shirts.

"B" Company, Wednesday, at 7-30 a.m., Drill order.

Buglers, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday, at 5-30 p.m.

At the Central Gymnasia—

Physical Training Class, Tuesday and Thursday, at 7 a.m. Running kit.

At Satara—

Machine Gun parades, Tuesday and Saturday, at 5 p.m.

896—Musketry.—The Rifle Range will be open for class firing at 7-30 a.m. daily except Thursdays and Sundays until further orders. Members wishing to fire, should send in their names to the Headquarter Office two days beforehand.

897—Miniature Range.—The Miniature Range at Headquarters is allotted for the current month as follows:—At 7-30 a.m. and 5 p.m.

Monday, 25th, Miniature Rifle Club.
Tuesday, 26th, "B" Company Voluntary practice.
Friday, 29th, Miniature Rifle Club.
Saturday, 30th, "A" Company Voluntary practice.

(Sd.) A. R. YEARSEY, 2nd-Lieut.,
Adjutant, Poona Volunteer Rifles.

STRING BAND AT THE BYCULLA MECHANIC INSTITUTE.

By kind permission of Colonel T. W. Bonner V. D. and Officers, the Band of the 18th Battn., G. I. P. Ry. Volunteers, will play a programme of music, this evening under the direction of Mr. Hugh B. Mitchell Band Master, commencing at 6 p.m.

BOMBAY MEDICAL UNION.

An ordinary monthly meeting of the members of the Union will be held at the Union Rooms, on Friday, the 29th instant, at 7-15 p.m. (S. T.), followed by a Dinner at 8-45 p.m. (S. T.).

FATAL TRAM COLLISION.

Dr. Nunan held an inquest on the body of Kondi Appa, a cart driver, and the Jury returned a verdict that the death was due to a collision between tram cars, and that the collision was caused by the driver of the south bound car having ignored the orders of the company.

THE BOMANJEE DINSHAW PETIT MEMORIAL FUND.

The Joint Hon. Secretaries of the above Fund announce the following further contributions towards the Fund:—

Amount previously acknowledged, Rs. 8,332-7-9; Mr. Framjee Rustomji Wadia, Rs. 150; Messrs. Dinshaw Bhikaji Khan and Co., Rs. 125; Mr. Bapoojee Sorabji Patel, Rs. 100; Mr. Vicajee Ardeshir Taraporewala, Rs. 100; Mr. Sorab Framji Bharucha, Rs. 100; Mr. Shapoorji Nusserwanji Chandabhoy, Rs. 75; Mr. Pestonji B. Press, Rs. 51; Bai Jaiji Bomanji Jassawala and family, Rs. 51; Dr. and Mrs. Dhunjibhoy Hirjibhoy Patell, Rs. 51; Mr. Maneckji Curseiji Tarachand, Rs. 51; an admirer of Seth Bomanjee Dinshaw Petit, Rs. 50; Mr. Dady Nusserwanji Dadyseth, Rs. 50; Mr. Burjor S. J. Aga, Rs. 25; Mr. Hormusji Dadabhoy, Rs. 20; Mr. Dinshaw Jivanji Patel, Rs. 17; Shams-ul-ulma Dr. Jivanji J. Mody, Rs. 15; Mr. Dinshaw D. Nasikwala, Rs. 15; Mr. Framjee Nanabhoy China, Rs. 15; Dr. Sorab K. Nariman, Rs. 15. Total Rs. 9,408-7-9.

EXCELSIOR THEATRE.

A GREAT PATRIOTIC PAGEANT.

Mrs. E. V. Watson, who is so well-known in Bombay for her artistic Tableaux in the cause of charity, has arranged another series on a much larger scale than before, in aid of the Indo-British Institution, which is sadly in need of funds, to take place at the Excelsior next Thursday and Friday 28th and 29th inst.

A beautiful array of tableaux songscenes and a phantasy will be produced with some old favourites and new ones. The sucessful pageants "Britania and her Allies" will be repeated together with "Lovers old and new" and the great success of the concert given in aid of the Union Jack Club "The Battle of Jutland." A novelty for Bombay will be several Oriental Tablaux in which a bevy of pretty Indian ladies will take part, called "A Persian Garden" on some stanzas by Omar Khayum with Liza Lehman's music "O Moon of my delight" sung by Mr. James McGrath. Another pretty phantasy will be "A dream in Dreamland" acted by Mrs. S. N. Powell, and Mr. McGrath. Mrs. D. B. Binning will appear in "O'Warlike" England, Mrs. Brook in violin-solos and Dr. Falkner, Mus. Bac will preside at the Piano, besides being responsible for some very fine musical compositions for the various scenes.

As this is the most ambitious entertainment of its kind ever attempted here, there being about sixty ladies and gentleman taking part bumper houses should reward Mrs. Watson's efforts and bring in a good sum for such a well-deserved institution. The plan is now open at Rose and Co. and is quickly filling up.

HIGH COURT.

ORIGINAL SIDE.

LIBEL SUIT AGAINST "THE CHRONICLE"

MR. SURAJMAL'S CASE.

(Before Mr. Justice Macleod.)

SURAJMAL B. MEHTA ..... Plaintiff.

v.

B. G. HORNIMAN & OTHERS ... Defendants

This was a suit by the plaintiff, a solicitor of the Bombay High Court, for defamation against the editor and publisher of "The Bombay Chronicle", and the Indian Newspaper Company. The plaintiff claimed to recover Rs. 25,000, or such other sum as the Court may think proper as damages.

The plaintiff is a solicitor carrying on business in Bombay. The first defendant is the editor of "The Bombay Chronicle," the second defendant was the publisher and printer of the same paper. The third defendant company are the owners of the paper. The paper has a large circulation. The plaintiffs' case is as follows:—

PLAINTIFF'S CASE.

In 1912, one Ashidabai widow of Haji Hassun Dada instituted a suit in the Bombay High Court against Tatia Shahib Holker for damages for breach of contract for sale by him to Ashidabai of a certain immoveable property situated at Nepean Sea Road. In that suit the firm of Mr. C. P. D'Cunha acted as solicitors for Tatia Shahib Holkar. That suit was settled out of Court by payment of Rs. 9,000 by Holkar to Ashidabai.

In July 1915, one Bhagwandas Gocculdas Ghandi instituted a suit in the Bombay High Court against Haji Ahmed Haji Hassain Dada to recover Rs. 3,000 being the amount of a promissory note executed by Dada in favour of one. Sambhoprasad Gokaldas Ghandhi, a brother of Bhagwandas. In this suit the plaintiff acted as solicitor for Bhagwandas for some time. Subsequently, there was a change of attorneys and Bhagwandas was represented in the suit by Messrs. Mansookhlal Hiralal Mehta & Co. That suit came on for hearing before Sir Dinshaw Davar and was settled in Court on the 28th February 1916. The plaintiff was one of the witnesses examined in the suit.

On the 7th of March 1916, the defendants falsely and maliciously printed and published defamation of the plaintiff and of him in the way of his profession in the issue of "The Bombay Chronicle" of that date in the following words:—

TEXT OF THE ALLEGED DEFAMATORY ARTICLES.

"The bare recital of the main allegations of the defendants (i.e. the said Haji Ahmed Haji Hassun Dada) in the case is sufficient to reveal very grave misconduct on the part of a solicitor, if the allegations were well founded. As to that, after the first day's hearing, and, while Mr. Surajmal was under severe cross-examination, in which he suffered from some lapses of memory, the case was suddenly withdrawn the Judge Sir Dinshaw Davar appropriately remarking that the plaintiff had adopted a very wise course. That the plaintiff was merely a creature of Mr. Surajmal admits of little doubt, in view of the circumstances revealed. And that Mr. Surajmal should have thus been content to have the case withdrawn, the very ugly allegations made against him left unrefuted is a matter which demands further inquiry. If the charge that he deliberately instigated one of his clients to bring an action for damages against another of his clients, sending him to another solicitor for the purpose and then arranging a settlement over that solicitor's head, were true, then it is perfectly clear that Mr. Surajmal would not be a suitable person for the practice of the honourable profession of a solicitor.

"As regards the last named point it may be as well to elucidate the matter a little further, on the basis of the defendant's allegations, though the matter was not fully revealed in Court. It is alleged, that in spite of the fact that the defendant was represented in his suit against Tatia Shahib by another firm of solicitors, Mr. Surajmal settled the whole matter direct with him and then wrote to the other solicitor stating "We are informed by our client's agent that the above suit has been settled by the parties out of Court. We are informed that your client has written to you accordingly." As a matter of fact there was no intervention on the part of any "agent" at all. The matter was settled between Mr. Dada and Mr. Surajmal direct and the latter wrote this letter, it is alleged, to prevent it being known that he communicated with or was seen by Dada in the absence of his solicitors. That, again is conduct which requires explanation and we trust that Mr. Surajmal will be called upon to give such explanation, as well as that of the other allegations made against him by the Chief Justice or the Law Society."

These words formed part of an article which appeared in "The Bombay Chronicle."

THE SECOND ARTICLE.

On the 15th of March, the defendants falsely and maliciously published the following article in "The Bombay Chronicle" with regard to the plaintiff:—

"That Mr. Surajmal Mehta settled this suit for Rs. 9,000 over the head of the solicitor who was acting for Mr. Dada dealing with the latter direct and paying to him his own cheque while he afterwards wrote to Mr. Dada's solicitors a letter by stating that his (Surajmal's) firm had been informed by the Tatia Shahibs agent that the suit had been settled by the parties out of the Court, whereas, as a matter of fact there was no intervention by the agent and the cheque was given by Mr. Surajmal Mehta himself. The allegations of the defendant were largely developed in the cross-examination of Mr Surajmal Mehta by Mr. Davar and he was still under cross-examination when the case was adjourned on the first day. When it was resumed on the second day the plaintiff withdrew and the allegations remained unanswered. In regard to some of these grave allegations Mr. Surajmal was unable to remember whether the version of the defendant put to him was true or not. He did not remember whether the defendant went to the other solicitor, Mr. D'Cunha at his suggestion or not, nor did he remember whether the draft of the notice sent by the defendant to Tatia Shahib was written by him and given to the defendant to be taken to Mr. D'Cunha. Other matters of importance he had also forgotten. Since it is presumed that these questions were not put without the existence of evidence in the possession of the defendant to back them up, it seems to us undesirable in the public interest that the matter should be left at the stage it had reached when the plaintiff thought fit to withdraw the case."

By the above words the defendants and each of them meant and were understood to mean that the plaintiff had been guilty of dishonourable and unprofessional conduct in his practice as a solicitor, that the plaintiff had cheated and defrauded his client Tatia Shahib Holkar that he was a dishonest witness and an unscrupulous solicitor.

By reason of the above articles the plaintiff had been greatly injured in his credit and reputation and in his profession as a solicitor. On the 15th of March 1916, the plaintiff's firm addressed a letter to the defendants calling upon them to tender an apology for the defamatory articles published in the said newspaper and to pay damages to the plaintiff.

The plaintiff prayed that the defendants or any of them be ordered to pay to the plaintiff as damages Rs. 25,000 or such other sum as to the Court may seem proper, that the defendants may be restrained by an order of injunction from publishing similar libel injuriously affecting the plaintiff in his profession as solicitor.

FIRST DEFENDANT'S STATEMENT.

The first defendant, Mr. B. G. Horniman, in his written statement, admitted the publication of the words complained of therein. These words formed parts of two leading articles which appeared in "The Bombay Chronicle" of the 7th March and 15th March, 1916, respectively. The defendant said that the said words were no libel and did not mean what they were alleged in the plaint to mean. The said words so far as they consisted of statements of facts were a fair and accurate report of facts put in evidence at the trial of Bhagwandas against Lada for Rs. 3,000 published *bona fide* and without malice; and in so far as they consisted of expressions of opinion they were fair and honest comments made in good faith and without malice upon the said facts which were matters of public interest.

As to such portion of the words if any as were not facts put in evidence at the trial of the said suit the same were true in substance and in fact. The defendant submitted that the plaintiff was not entitled to the relief claimed or any part thereof and said that the suit should be dismissed with costs. The third defendant put in a written statement to the same effect.

Mr. Strangman and Mr. Jardine appeared for the plaintiff

Mr. Bahadurji, the Hon. Mr. Setalvad and Mr. Desai appeared for the defendants

After reading the pleadings Mr. Bahadurji said that he wanted to make an application for a commission to examine Tatia Saheb Holkar and Vinayak Rao, his clerk, who would be material witnesses on the question whether certain statements made in the article complained of, but which statements did not appear in the proceedings before Mr. Justice Davar, were statements of facts. These witnesses lived at Indore and it was impossible to get them down to Bombay.

After hearing Mr. Strangman, his Lordship held that it was not necessary to issue a commission at that stage. If necessary counsel could renew his application later on.

"INSPIRED ARTICLES."

Mr. Strangman in the course of his address in opening the case for the plaintiff, remarked that the offending articles had been inspired by Nanabhoy Cowasjee Engineer, who was for four years as a managing clerk in the service of Mr. Surajmal Mehta. He was then dismissed by Surajmal and ever since then he had been persecuting Surajmal. There was no doubt that some of the facts mentioned in the articles and some of the letters mentioned therein had never appeared in the proceedings before Mr. Justice Davar. From whom then did Mr. Horniman get information about them? Counsel said that Nanabhoy Engineer had supplied Mr. Horniman with those facts.

Mr. Bahadurji admitted that some papers relating to those proceedings, had been brought to Mr. Horniman by Nanabhoy Engineer.

EVIDENCE FOR PLAINTIFF.

Mr. Nariman, solicitor, of the firm of Ardeshir, Hormasji and Co., was the first witness called. He stated that he acted as solicitor for the plaintiff in the latter stage of the suit of Bhagwandas Gandhi v. Dada. He had never seen Mr. Horniman before and did not supply him with any papers or information regarding that suit. He settled Dada's suit against Surajmal on the former's instructions. His instructions were to settle on any terms. Dada was instigated by Nanabhoy Cowasji Engineer to make a complaint to the C. I. D. regarding Surajmal.

Cross-examined by Mr. Bahadurji witness said that he did not think it his duty as Dada's solicitor to make any enquiry into the merits or details of Dada's claim against Surajmal as his instructions were to settle on any terms. As a matter of fact Mr. Dinshaw, who was acting for Surajmal, was at first unwilling to settle. Dada told him that Nanabhoy instigated, him in the matter of the C. I. D. complaint. That was why he stated this. He admitted that Dada in his evidence in the case against Nanabhoy in the Police Court had sworn that his complaint against Surajmal to the C. I. D. was a true complaint and that the allegations he made in his written statement in the suit brought against him by Bhagwandas were also true.

Mr. D'Cunha, solicitor, deposed that he acted for Dada in the matter of Asidabai, Dada's mother, and Tatya Saheb Holkar. It was not true that Surajmal drafted the notice to be sent to Tatya Saheb. He produced the draft which was in his own handwriting. All the drafts in that matter were in his handwriting or his clerk's.

Cross-examined by Mr. Bahadurji witness said Dada was an intelligent man and gave his instructions clearly. Dada did not speak English. He did not think it curious that he was able to draft out the notice produced, under Dada's instructions, in such a perfect form, without a single correction or alteration. He was very surprised and annoyed when he heard that the case against Tatya Saheb had been settled. He had warned his client not to settle.

MR. SURAJMAL EXAMINED.

Mr. Surajmal Mehta, the plaintiff, was then called. Examined by Mr. Strangman he said: "I know Nanabhoy Cowasjee Engineer. He remained in my employ as a managing clerk from December 1909 to December 1914. He then left my service on bad terms with me. I know Dada, he was introduced to me by Nanabhoy as a client. I know Tatia Shaheb Holker. He was not introduced to me by Nanabhoy. In February, 1912, I was informed that Holker had agreed to sell his property to Ashidbai for Rs. 66,000. Engineer and Holker's agent informed me about it, I was helping Ashidbai and Holker in this matter of conveyance. Subsequently I heard about the sale of the same property to Khambata and I was instructed by Holker's agent to deny it. Khambata fited a suit against Holker and a decree for specific performance was passed in his favour.

I understood that Ashidbai was a nominee of Dada. After this Dada proceeded to D'Cunha to take proceedings against Holkar for breach of contract. I did not suggest his going to D'Cunha. A suit was filed by Dada against Holkar and in January 1914, that suit was settled. Holkar's clerk Vinayakrao and Nanabhoy came and told me that they were going to pay him the amount namely Rs. 9.000. No cheque was produced to me. A draft receipt was prepared in the name of Ashidbai in favour of Holkar and Ashidbai was to write to D'Cunha to say that the suit was settled and that she would pay D'Cunha's costs. Then Vinayakrao and Nanabhoy left me and they came back some time after and informed me that they had paid the amount to Dada or Ashidbai and asked me to write to D'Cunha that suit was settled and I wrote the letter of which this is the press copy.

Cheque dated 19th of January 1914, produced from the National Bank was shown to the witness.

Witness continued:—I see that this cheque is signed by Holkar and endorsed by Dada. I recollect Bhagwandas's suit filed on 26th July 1916. Sumboohprasad mentioned in the plaint in that suit was a managing clerk and joined my service as such in December 1909, with Engineer. His salary was Rs. 100 a month and he was on leave from my office when he died in June 1914. I acted for plaintiff in that suit up to end of 1915. After that the plaintiff went to Messrs. Mansukhlal Hiralal & Co., and I had nothing to do with that suit after the change of solicitors except giving evidence therein. A number of allegations were made in the written statements in that suit. Sumboohprasad was not my nominee for the promissory note.

Mr. Bhadurjee objected to this matter being gone into in this suit.

His Lordship overruled the objection.

Witness continued—I was not in Bombay on the date when the promissory note was signed. I was then at Mahabaleshwar on the 19th or 20th of April 1913, and returned to Bombay in June.

His Lordship: How does that matter? He may be his nominee even though the witness may be at that time in London.

I once lent Dada Rs. 10,000 on his promissory note some time in 1912. It was repaid in three months time. It is not true that I advised Dada to file a suit against Holkar for breach of contract. I did not tell him that I would induce Holkar to pay to him a sum for damages. I did not even have a talk with him on the point.

It is not true that there was any agreement between me and Dada that he should pay me a particular sum in the event of my getting any damages from Holkar.

HOW PLAINTIFF GOT CONFOUNDED.

I was examined as a witness in Bhagwandas's case ona Saturday afternoon and I was cross-examined by Mr.. Daver. I recollect the cross-examination with regard to the draft notice. It was a Saturday afternoon. I was first asked whether I had drafted any notice for Dada in the matter of Holkar's sale. I said to Mr. Daver that, I did not know whether I gave a draft of notice tot be written by Mr. D'Cunha. I asked Mr. Daver to show me the draft. Mr. Daver did not show me. Mr. Daver flourished a paper in his hand and asked me did you or did you not? That frightened me and I got confounded. I said I did not remember. As a matter of fact I had nothing whatever to do with the draft of the notice.

On Monday morning when the suit was called on and I stepped into the witness box, Mr. Bhahadurji said to Mr. Justice Daver that the suit was to be dismissed. I took no interest in the matter and heard of the dismissal with unconcern.

That was the first I heard that the suit was dismissed. After this I saw the article in "The Chronicle" of 7th March.

I had not tendered any advice about the dismissal of the suit and I had nothing to do with its dismissal.

It is not true that I had arranged to settle Ashedbai's suit, over the head of Mr. D'Cunha.. As a matter of fact I never saw Dada with reference to the settlement.

A week later I read a second article in "The Chronicle." The statement there made that I had paid my own cheque to Dada or Ashidbai is untrue.

I say that Engineer was on hostile terms after he left me. I saw him at the time of the publication of these articles going into the office of "The Bombay Chronicle." He told that he was going to begin a fresh bombardment against me.

His Lordship: Then he ought to go to France.

He said this to me when he passed me in the street flourishing a bundle of papers in his hands.

His Lordship: Had he bombarded you before?

Witness: Yes, my Lord. He always threatened me with C.I.D. affairs. He persecuted me in several ways. The first was by suit 499 of 1914.

Mr. Bhahadurji: Is it necessary to go into all this, my Lord? We have nothing to do with the animus of Engineer against the plaintiff.

Attorneys for the plaintiffs: Messrs. Cragie Blunt and Caroe.

Attorneys for the defendants: Messrs. Jamsetjee Rustomjee and Davidas.

In the Allahabad municipal election for the two city wards Lala Sheocharan Lal and the two Hindus who did not resign were defeated. The other Hindu, Babu Damodar Das who did not resign, withdrew his candidature. The result is that the four Hindus who did not resign have been thrown out.

CAUSE LIST.

BOARD FOR MONDAY, THE 25TH OF SEPTEMBER, 1916.

BEFORE THE HON. MR. JUSTICE BEAMAN.

In the Division Court No. 53.

SUITS FOR HEARING AND FINAL DISPOSAL.

LONG CAUSES.

S C Ct 319/11252-15—Matu J and M. Agy Nasrulla Samandy Shustry v Syed Asadulla Kazrani and anr, Little & Co., Settled.

179-15.—Captain & V. Birdichand Auraj, a firm v. Nensukhdas Sheonarayen, a firm, Madh K & C, Part Heard.

353-15.—Motichand & D, Kesharichand Bhanabhai, a firm v. Premchand Manchand & ors, Jamsedji E & D, Part heard by Kajiji J on 16-9-16.

S C 382-16—Daph F and D. Sulleman Haji Essak and anr v Krima Suttra and ors, Payne and Co, Part heard, 25-7-16.

FOR HEARING ON EXCEPTIONS TO COMR'S REPORT.

31-09.—Tyabji D & Co., Bai Mouhbai v. Choonilal Pitamber & ors, Suh & G, Ard H D & Co., Little & Co.

918-14.—M B Chothia, Dwarkadas Mohanji v. M Allabux & Co., a firm, Payne & Co.

1307-15.—Wadia G & Co., Taker & Co., a firm v. Vishwanath Kushaba Teli, D J Mantre.

FOR RE-HEARING

685-15.—G B Pandya (for a pauper), Mogul Hasan Hoosein v. Mogul Hasan Ramzan, As per Ap. Ct's Order 17-7-16.

LONG CAUSES.

387-44.—Mulji & Th, Fazulbhai Peer Mahomed v. Manchershaw Dadabhai B Wadia and anr, Manecklal and Co., Wadia G & Co.

1402-14.—Amin and Desai, Harilal Keshowlal, a firm v. Keshowlal Hathibhai Edgelow G W & Co., Tyabji D & Co.

191-15.—Payne and Co., S Narayan & Co., a firm v. Harjiwandas Jaichand and ors, Tyabji D and Co., Amin and D, Edgelow G W & Co.

848-15.—Payne and Co., Hyderally Goolam Hoosein Bhimji v. Fazal Bhimji & ors, Edgelow G W & Co., Mulji and Tha.

182-14.—Edg G W & Co., Bhaichand Kalyanchand v. Oomar Haji Summar, & ors, Patell & Eze, Motichand & D.

BEFORE THE HON. MR. JUSTICE MACLEOD.

In the Division Court No. 43.

SUITS FOR HEARING AND FINAL DISPOSAL

337-16—Craigie B and C, Surajmal B Mehta v B G Horniman and ors, Jamsetji R and D, Part heard.

LONG CAUSES.

483-16—Captain and V, Sulleman Meghji v Haji Ebrahim Ebus, Mulla and M.

1263-15.—Matubhai J and M, Ismail Ebrahim & Bros., a firm v. Cassumbhoy Goolamhussein, Hiralal and Co.

311-16.—Captain and V, Kuppaji Dollaji & Co., a firm v. Haji Ebrahim Haji Esmail Essac, and anr, Ardeshir H D & Co., Mans. H M & Co.

499-15.—Mulji & Tha, Hooseinbhai Fazulbhai Peer Mahomed v. Kareembhai Peer Mahomed & Co., a firm, Captain & Vaidya.

510-15.—Mulji and Th, Hooseinbhai Fazulbhai & anr v. Kareembhai Peer Mahomed., Captain & Vaidya.

347-08.—Little & Co., Dwarkadas Gordhandas v. Hiravahu, widow, & ors, Edg G W & Co.

153-15.—Purnanand & Co., Anant Ganesh Sathaye v. Dattatrya Bhasker Joshi, Pandia & Co.

1456-14.—Jam R & D, Mahomedally Allibhoy Kachwalla v. Vithal Govind Raja, & ors, Pandia & Co.

1326-15.—Mehta D & L, Bai Jadav, widow, & anr v. Karsondas Natha, Nanu H & Co.

1120-15.—Unwalla P & P, Gomavahu, widow v. Purshotamdas Jivandas, & ors, Madh K & C, Little & Co.

4-16.—In Person, The Indian Specie Bank Lt., in Liqudation v. Chandulal Chhotalal & Co., a firm.

891-15—Edg G W and Co. Messrs Pulee and Co a firm v Vithaldas Manji and anr, Patell and Ez.

BEFORE THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE KEMP.

In the Division Court No. 40.

FOR JUDGMENT.

549-15—Payne and Co, Ichalal Jugmohandas and anr v Kahandas Jamnadas a firm and ors, Edgelow G W and Co.

FOR CONSENT DECREE.

780-15—Matu J and M, Mohsinbhai Hoosein-ally v Mahomedally Ahmedally, Mirza M and M.

SUITS FOR HEARING AND FINAL DISPOSAL.

LONG CAUSES.

1337-15.—Payne & Co., Lukhaji Dolaji & Co., a firm v. Hakmaji Motaji & Co., firm, Dikshit D and P, Part heard.

197-15.—Shroff D and D, Jamnadas Tricamdas v. Muljbai, widow, C P D'Cunha.

1075-15.—Jehangir M & S, Rose Mary, widow, and ors v. Bomanji Rustomji Contractor, Mulla & Mulla.

1049-15—Dikshit Dh and P, Jivanbhai Jaganath Jariwalla v Abdul Gafur Abdulla and anr, Ardeshir H D and Co.

397-15.—Edgelow G W & Co., Nathoo Karson v. Bapuji Jamshedji Dubash, & anr, Dubash and Co.

345-15.—Dubash and Co., Bapuji Jamshedji Dubash v. Nathoo Karson Mistry, Edgelow G W & Co.

143-14.—Payne & Co., Nandramdas Mathuradas, a firm v. Abdeally Abdul Kadar & ors, Captain & V.

554-16.—Daph F & D, Bai Kamalabai alias Kamalabai, widow, & ors v. Hirji Shivji Sunderji, & anr, Sm B & Co.

128-15.—Judah & S, Jijaba Sakharam Ghogre v. Ramchandra Kupa & ors, Khund L & M, Judah & S.

630-16.—Wadia G & Co., Kimatrai Dharamdas, a firm v. Dhunjisha Dadabhoy, N C Dalal.

1051-15.—Jehangir S M & H, Sheralli Cassambhai v. Cassambhai Thavarbhai, Payne & Co.

958-15.—Shamrao M & H, Baibai v. Haji Jan Mahomed Haji Allarakhia, & ors, Manch & N.

470-11.—Bhai K & G, Rambalabh Hursukhrai v. Gopiram Harmukhrai, & ors, Soonderdas & Co.

1089-15.—Jehangir S M & H, Noorrahomed Fazulbhoy v. Cassumbhoy Thavar, Payne & Co.

1324-14.—Tyabji D & Co., Khushaleband Gopaldas, a firm v. Samidas Deokisson, a firm, Payne & Co.

614-15.—Little & Co., The Tata Hydro Electric Power Supply Co., Ld. v. The Alliance Cotton Mafg. Co. Ld.

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THE BOMBAY CHRONICLE.

Monday, September 25, 1916.

WHEN THE WAR WILL END.

When will the war end,? is a question which has been revived during the psat few weeks by events which have brought about a change in the face of the general situation. The question is not as readily answered, as it used to be, by people who had nothing but self-assurance to support their opinions in the days before sufficient time had elapsed to expose the hollowness of their claims as prophets. The only prophecy as to the duration of the war which remains undisproved is that of Lord Kitchener, whose allotted period of three years has yet eleven months to run. The wise man is he who refuses to speculate or even to contemplate the problem of the duration of the war, and has settled down to take the good with the bad in the sure knowledge that there can be only one end, come when it may, and that the Allies will fight till that end is achieved It is interesting to note, however, that among experts views seem to be very widely divided. Some interest has recently been aroused by the opinion expressed by Sir O'Moore Creagh. The late Commander-in-Chief in India has had something of a boom in the American press, because four months ago he predicted with remarkable precision the present conditions on the various fronts, and the mail papers contain a summary of a three-column article containing a forecast on the approximate date of the end of the war which Sir O'Moore has now contributed to the "New York World."

General Creagh expresses his belief that the Central Powers will not fight through another winter. But it cannot be said, so far as one can judge by the summary of the article we have seen, that he advances entirely conclusive reasons for his opinion. which differs so greatly from that of General Brussiloff, who declared last May that the war would be over in eighteen months, which would bring us to the end of three years. Sir O'Moore Creagh's opinion is based chiefly on the view that Germany is the head of the enemy alliance and that when the head falls the rest will go. Germany being the head the centre of gravity is on the Western Front, as defeat there will most rapidly affect Germany. The beginning of the end will be indicated when Germany is forced to "straighten her line" and abandon territory in doing so. So far so good. We are most of us agreed that if Germany once collapses the bottom will fall out of the whole enemy resistance. The others, with the exception perhaps of Turkey, which has most to lose, will be only too glad to see the end of a weary business. And we do not want to be told that the centre of gravity is on the Western Front. It is clear that it is in the breaking of the German line in the West and the carrying of the war into German territory that the surest way lies to the final crushing of the German resistance. But what reason is there to hope that all this will be achieved in time to enable the belief that the Central Powers will not fight through another winter? It is clear that Sir O'Moore Creagh expects an early collapse on the Western Front. He does not agree with the belief that there is a labyrinth of German defences extending to the rear. He has never been of this opinion, because the German field service regulations direct that this shall not be so. He has thus formed the view that the German trench system does not extend very far into the rear of the first line system, and before very long,—an accommodating phrase,—the enemy will be obliged to straighten out his line by abandoning territory in France and Belgium, and that will be the beginning of the end.

But even that does not entitle us to believe that the Central Powers will not fight through another winter. It is possible, no doubt, that the next two months may have sensational surprises in store for us. But the best we can legitimately hope for is that before the winter comes the Allies will have broken up the German Front and brought the miserable phase of trench warfare to an end. But whether that will mean an entire German collapse remains to be seen. Our limited knowledge of the actual extent of German resources and plans does not justify us in supposing that the Germans are not prepared for, and capable of, fighting a long campaign of resistance as they are driven further and further back into their own country.

DIVIDE AND DEFEAT!

It is as well to note that, while the English press is speculating on the chances of an early termination of the war, based on the certainty that the defeat of the Central Powers is now assured, the German press still looks confidently to a final settlement in Germany's favour and is engaged in a heated discussion as to which of the Allies Germany should first settle with in order to be left free to crush the others. This is certainly a change from a year ago when the Germans were convinced that they could easily conquer all the Allies and were ready to take on America as well, if necessary. Now it seems to be admitted that the Allies must be divided if they are to be defeated. But the assurance that Germany will not be ultimately defeated out and out remains strong. The view that the Allies *can* be divided is held with amusing naivety. There are two parties. The Pan-Germans favour the idea of a settlement with Russia in order that Germany may concentrate her whole strength against the Western enemy and especially against Great Britain. The Imperial Chancellor's party inclines to a settlement with the West in order to obtain "compensation" from Russia. The German public, one journal tells us, is becoming accustomed to think of two groups of politicians, each of which wants a rapprochment with one group of Entente Powers:—

Sections of the German press are engaged in a dispute, accompanied by vigorous mutual reproaches, on the question whether, at a time not yet arrived, one ought to make peace with Russia in order to turn all our strength against England (Reventlow party), or whether one ought not to act in such a way as to recover friendly relations with England, in order to have a thorough settlement with Russia (Delbruck-Rohrbach party.)

The same journal,—the "Weser Zeitung,"—discusses the views of both parties impartially. On the one hand, it says, the "necessity of breaking the English domination at sea has come out very clearly. Those who said that England was a negligible quantity and those who preached that Germany could be self-supporting have alike proved false prophets." On the other hand "Russia has an enormous and increasing reserve of men," which will make her a constant menace to Germany unless she is thoroughly beaten and her frontiers set far back. It is hinted that a powerful Russia would be as inconvenient to Britain as to Germany and this consideration, the "Weser Zeitung" thinks, may "lead the English to envisage the peace problem in various ways." It seems that it will take a very tremendous disaster to shake the German people out of their state of self-complacence and the peculiar psychological mood which enables them still solemnly to discuss the possibilities of making a separate peace with one or other of the Allies. The lesson is yet to learn and we must not suppose that it has even begun to make itself felt.

CHILD LABOUR IN FACTORIES.

The most serious aspect of child labour in factories is the tendency to illegal employment of the juvenile workers. The Chief Inspector of Factories, Bombay, stated in his report last year that children are induced to leave one mill in favour of another under various promises of advancement. He added that no efforts will stop this inclination for roving. In the present report we are told that while the certification of children has been very strictly attended to "their roving tendency continues and efforts to check it have not proved altogether effective." The Chief inspector, however, hopes "to impress children with the knowedge that it would be to their advantage to discontinue a practice which the competition between jobbers for their employment has unfortunately brought into existence." He has lost sight apparently of the fact that the children are not masters of themselves and that the real culprits are the jobbers, the mill-managers and the children's parents, though the last-named, it must be remembered, are compelled by their own poverty and indebtedness to acquiesce,—more often reluctantly than willingly,—to the exploitation of their children. But, as we have often pointed out the only remedy that will effectively put to a stop to this, as well as other grave abuses of child labour in factories, is free and compulsory education. Special schools for factory children should be opened at suitable centres near, though not within the factory enclosure,—the course of instruction being repeated twice a day for the benefit of each set of half-timers.

It is regrettable that the report of the Chief Inspector of Factories contains no reference to this all-important subject of education though in the introductory letter of the Collector we are vouchsafed the vague information that "their education is still under discussion, but the question looks far more likely to be solved than it did last year." To realize what the perfunctory remarks of the Collector mean, it is necessary to recall what the Government in their review of the report stated last year. After referring to the fact that an elementary curriculum specially suited to the requirements of factory children had been drawn up, the report added that "it is apparent from the precarious condition of the few existing schools that no measures for the spread of education among factory children can be successful, unless supported by the active and vigorous co-operation of the mill-owner in the direction of ensuring regular attendance at the schools." Such co-operation is, however, difficult to secure, since, with the mills competing against each other to obtain a sufficient supply of child labour and with the present highly migratory character of that class of labour, it is directly against the immediate interest of the mill-owner to apply any form of pressure on his juvenile employees with the object of making them attend school. This being so, it is extremely unwise to defer the adoption of the only remedy that is called for, in the hope "that in course of time the mill-owners will come to realise the importance, in the interests of industrial development, of the formation of a literate factory population on which to draw in order to meet their requirements in the shape of skilled labour and will agree to concerted action with that end in view." Besides the fact that barely two or three mill-owners have taken advantage of the provision of the amended Improvement Trust Act with regard to the erection of houses for their employees is a sufficient warning against delaying any scheme of reform until concerted action by the mill-owners is secured. The duty of the State is doubly clear. It was pointed out by the majority report of the Committee appointed in 1913 by the Government of Bombay to examine generally the question of education of children in factories. The majority of the Committee were of opinion that "as an alternative to what they regard as the only complete solution of the problem, namely, a scheme of free and compulsory education for all children, or at any rate for children within certain areas, education should be made compulsory for factory children only."

Notes of the Day.

The Benefit of the Doubt.

It is a maxim of law that whenever a judge has reasonable doubt as to the guilt of an accused, he should give the latter the benefit of the doubt. On this point Mr. Justice Walsh of Allahabad recently made an observation, which is worthy of notice. The occasion was an appeal against a death sentence passed on one Umrao by the Sessions Judge of Agra. In setting aside the conviction Mr. Justice Walsh said that a trial for murder was not an intellectual exercise and he thought that a judge ought not to piece together, as an intellectual exercise, the circumstances pointing to the guilt of the accused when there were other circumstances which created reasonable doubt. Mr. Justice Walsh entertained a reasonable doubt in this case as to whether the guilt of the accused was established by clear evidence or not. It is instructive to note that Justice Knox, who sat with Mr. Justice Walsh, held a different view, but in deference to the opinion of his colleague who had his doubt "he wanted to give full weight to that doubt", with the result that the death sentence was set aside.

Diplomacy After the War.

The future of the diplomatic service has recently received a good deal of attention and it is on all hands agreed that democracy should gain a more direct influence than it has hitherto exercised in regard to foreign policy. But it is pointed out that if the real evils of "secret diplomacy" are to be removed, the attitude of ignorance and resigned neglect which democracy has hitherto followed in regard to foreign policy, must itself be completely reformed. It is interesting to note that the German Press is also busy discussing if the time has come to consider whether Germany after the war will continue the old system of diplomatic representation. The immediate cause of this has been Mr. Asquith's threat of a severance of diplomatic relations with Germany should the murder of Captain Fryatt remain unexpiated. "Do we want Ambassadors at all"? is the question discussed with much solemnity, and the conclusion reached is that this most expensive and antiquated institution has no practical value in an age when communication is so easy and swift. At most, it is suggested, the old system of diplomacy might be continued with Germany's friends, but for Germany's secret enemies there should not exist this easy method of espionage, and it should cease. The Socialist "Vorwarts" discussing the question, thinks Ambassadors are an anachronism, and that the foreign relations of the country with other lands would be much more wisely and safely controlled by the people's elected representatives, or a committee of them.

"The Contemptibles."

The Kaiser's sneer at the "contemptible little British army", will go down to posterity with a meaning never contemplated by its author, for the remnant of the heroic force at which the epithet was scornfully flung cherishes it as its proudest distinction. "Very few are left," wrote Lieut. General Sir Aylmer Hunter-Weston on the 1st of July last, in an order of the day to his army corps, "of my old comrades, the original 'Contemptibles.' but their successors in the 4th division have shown that they are worthy to bear the honours gained by the 4th division at their first great fight at Fontaine au-Pire and Ligny, during the great retreat and greater advance across the Marne and Aisne, and in all the hard fighting at Ploegsteert and at Ypres." The "Contemptibles" fill one of the most splendid pages in the history of war and the sobriquet is as little likely to be forgotten as the inspiring deeds which have illuminated its irony.

Dietetic Errors in the East.

Dr. A. Moore, the acting Medical Officer of Health at Shanghai, makes the following interesting but painfully true remarks concerning exercise, food and drink in the East:

"It is lamentable to see how errors in diet, particularly in the consumption of meat and alcohol, cut short the best and most useful portion of men's lives, causing premature deterioration in both their mental and physical capacities. Men who have been the pride of the football, hockey, cricket and polo grounds, when they approach the forties and ought to be still in the full prime of manly vigour, begin to talk of the effects of Anno Domini and of life out East. The city office man eats usually more food and richer food than the labouring peasant, and washes it down with copious stimulants, the almost inevitable result being that he becomes corpulent, flabby, and devoid of energy, both mental and physical, for all of which he very unreasonably curses the climate or the sins of his ancestors. The Esquimaux in the Arctic region lives on very rich, blubbery meat and the Arab of the tropical desert on a daily ration of a handful or two of rice and a few dates, but the young European is prepared with the aid of alcohol to work doggedly through 6 or 8 course tiffins and dinners in every season of the year and in any climate under the sun and then he is surprised if later on in life he develops a pear-shaped figure, with a tendency to all sorts of diseases, and has to learn, when too late, that it is well nigh impossible to correct the ill-effects resulting from years of dietetic ignorance or perversity."

"The Englishman" remarks *a propos* of this, "there are, we fear, hundreds of 'pear-shaped figures' in Calcutta." Can the same be said of Bombay? There are tens of thousands in London!

Ancient Roman Coins in Tamil Land.

An interesting find of ancient Roman coins in Madras described in the "Mysore Economic Journal," draws attention once again to the extensive trade relations that existed between parts of Southern India and ancient Rome and Greece. The present find can claim no particular value, for the coins now unearthed, are well-known to South Indian numismatists. In fact, coins of the ancient Western world have been continuously unearthed these several decades and now enrich very valuable collections. Of course, one can never estimate the quantity of copper coins of sorts, and others of greater intrinsic value, that have been melted down. Sufficient have been saved from the wreck to preserve for us historical data of the highest value, relative to the old world connection between Tamil-land and Rome and Greece. It is a curious fact that, whereas ancient Sanskrit epic poetry confines the term Yavana (the Greek Ionoes) to Greeks, ancient Tamil poems include in the term both Greeks and Romans. The connection of the latter with the ancient Tamils,—the Tamils of nearly 2,000 years ago,—was far more intimate and continuous than that of the Greeks. That connection, both ways, was commercial. The Romans and Egyptian Greeks brought wine, brass, lead, glass, etc., and took away pepper, ivory, pearls and fine muslin. According to Pliny, the Roman trade with Tamil-land was so extensive that there was no year in which India did not drain the Roman Empire of at least a million pounds sterling, sending in return wares which were sold for a hundred times their original value! Roman gold poured into Tamil-land in enormous quantities for nearly five hundred years from the reign of Augustus to that of Zeno. The Tamils of those days were hardy sailors and the shipbuilding industry was one of the most flourishing. They were great colonisers as well. References frequently occur in Tamil literature to Tamil embassies, sent to Rome in the days of Augustus Cæsar, and in fact the intercourse with Rome and with Egypt was fairly continuous.

FRENCH WAR CREDITS PASSED.

UNIFIED SOCIALISTS' SUPPORT.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

PARIS, Sept. 23.

The Chamber voted the provisional war credits by 448 votes to 4 after hearing the statement of the Unified Socialists supporting the votes because, as they said, not a single Socialist could accept peace leaving France mutilated.

M. Briand, the Premier, replying to criticisms of the Salonika command, paid a warm tribute to General Sarrail who, he said, enjoyed the confidence of the Government.—*Appeared in our Sunday Edition.*

GREAT EASTERN RAILWAY LINER CAPTURED.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Sept. 23.

A Berlin telegram says that German naval ferces in the North Sea during the night of the 21st instant brought into Zeebrugge the Great Eastern Railway steamer Colchester.

ARMY CLOTHING DEPARTMENT SCANDALS.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

LAHORE, Sept. 23.

The "Civil and Military Gazette's" correspondent cables:—

London, September 21:—It is reported that a committee has been appointed to investigate the management of the Army Clothing Department in connection with Mr. Justice Low's remarks in a recent case.—*Appeared in our Sunday Edition.*

MR. CHARLES LAMPORD FOUND DEAD.

(REUTER'S SPECIAL WAR SERVICE.)

LONDON, Sept. 23.

Mr. Charles Lamport, the well-known rubber pioneer, has been found dead in his mansion in Sussex with a gunshot wound in the head. He had been very distressed owing to the death of his son at the front.

DUTCH EAST INDIES REBELLION,

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

AMSTERDAM, Sept. 22.

The "Handelsblad's" Surabaja correspondent wires that the insurgents attacked Major Ott, commanding sixty policemen, at Mocratebo and killed two and wounded fifteen. The insurgents lost heavily.

AMSTERDAM, Sept. 23.

A "Telegraaf" message from Batavia says that the disorder at Djambi is more serious and the rebels are daily increasing owing to the insufficiency of troops. The expedition to the region of the Turgkai river where the whole population is in armed revolt has been postponed.

The Resident at Djambi has asked for a battalion to be sent as reinforcement.

LABOUR TROUBLE IN NEW YORK.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

NEW YORK, Sept. 23.

Owing to employers refusing to permit subway, elevated and surface employees to join unions, practically every union in New York has ordered suspension of work on the 27th instant.

If the order is obeyed thousands of factories and mills will be shut down and vehicular traffic and work in the docks will cease.

KITCHENER MEMORIAL FUND.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Sept. 22.

The Kitchener Memorial Fund now amounts to over £300,000 sterling.—*Appeared in our Sunday Edition.*

PRINCE GEORGE AS CADET.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Sept. 22.

Prince George has been gazetted a cadet at the Naval College, Osborne.—*Appeared in our Sunday Edition.*

THE WAR.

SUMMARY OF TELEGRAMS.

LOSS OF TWO ZEPPELINS.

DISASTROUS FAILURE OF RAID.

BRITISH LINES ADVANCED IN PICARDY.

ALLIED PROGRESS IN MACEDONIA.

A Zeppelin raid on the east and south-east coast and the outskirts of London on Sunday, in which a number of hostile airships participated, proved a disastrous failure. One airship was brought down in flames in Southern Essex and another fell off the Essex Coast.

The Serbians have reached the outskirts of Urbeni. The French cleared the district north-west of Armensko and advanced after heavy fighting towards Popli.

The defeated Bulgarians, Germans and Turks in Dobrudja have ceased to retreat and have fortified themselves.

It is reported from Athens that a revolution has broken out in Crete. The revolutionaries have formed a provisional government.

South of Ancre the British advanced on a front of about a mile, capturing two lines of trenches between Flers and Martinpuich. They also advanced east of Courcelette on a front of half-mile capturing a strongly fortified system of trenches.

The French surprised and captured a fortified house near Combles.

The total number of prisoners captured by the Allies since July, 1, exceeds 55,800, of whom the French alone took 34,050.

Great aerial-activity is reported from the Western front. The Allied aeroplanes raided an important railway junction, railway works and stations, aerodromes and other points of military importance. On the French front there were as many as 56 aerial fights on Friday.

The Canadian casualties to August 31st were: Killed and Died, 8,644; Wounded 27,212; Missing 2,605.

Official and Personal.

Sir Ashutosh Mukerji arrived on Saturday at Allahabad to spend the vacation.

Mr. L. Stuart will officiate as a judge of the Allahabad High Court on its re-opening in the place of Mr. Justice Piggott on deputation.

The following postings of Accountant-Generals have been settled:—Mr. A. M. Brigstocke on return from leave will be posted to Bombay relieving Mr. E. M. Cook who will then proceed to Allahabad. Mr. Scott O'Connor on return from leave will return to Bihar and Orissa, Mr. U. L. Mazumdar who has been officiating becoming Comptroller of India Treasuries, Calcutta.

DISASTROUS FAILURE OF ZEPPELIN RAID.

TWO AIRSHIPS BROUGHT DOWN.

TWO ZEPPELINS FELLED.

22 PRISONERS TAKEN.

ATTACK ON LONDON BEATEN OFF.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Sept. 24.

It is officially announced that a number of hostile airships visited the east and south-east coast of England to-night and bombs were dropped at various places.

The raid is still proceeding.

LATER.

It is officially announced that hostile airships attacked Lincolnshire and the eastern counties and the outskirts of London.

The latter attack which was made from the north-east and south-east at about midnight was beaten off by anti-aircraft defences.

One airship was brought down in flames in southern Essex. It is reported that another fell off the Essex coast but this is not confirmed.

No reports as to casualties or damage have yet been received.

LATER.

It is officially announced that a further Zeppelin was brought down and 22 prisoners were taken.

The casualties were: 28 killed and 99 injured.

HOT RECEPTION FOR ZEPPELINS.

MAGNIFICENT SPECTACLE FOR LONDONERS.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM)

LATER.

The Zeppelin raiders did not apparently come so near London as on the 3rd instant since gunfire heralding their approach at midnight was fainter, but observers on roofs and bridges were treated to a magnificent spectacle of shrapnel bursting around a Zeppelin somewhere in the remote outskirts of London.

The spectacle was a shortlived one as the Zeppelin finding its reception too hot made off and the cannonade quickly died off.

Distant flashes in the sky indicated that the conflict was not finished and an hour later observers in the city saw a small cigar on the horizon to the eastward burst into incandescence. It was not a vivid flame lighting up the heavens as on the 3rd instant, but onlookers had no doubt that it was a flaming Zeppelin and cheered enthusiastically.

Some waited to see if there would be any other victims but as no further disturbance of the peaceful starlight sky took place they returned to their beds in the highest spirits.

Messages from correspondents at various points between London and the coast of Essex describe the delight of spectators at the destruction of the airship.

At one in the morning gunfire brought people from their houses to points of vantage whence they watched an airship travelling in an easterly direction held by concentrated searchlights with shells bursting in the closest proximity. The gunfire ceased and a profound silence ensued. Then a red spark was visible and flames could be seen creeping to the top of the airship till it became a mass of flame. Before the final crash the airship stood bolt upright, then dashed to the ground head foremost. The cheers of the crowd spread to London where an incandescent cigar-like object was remotely visible.

BOMBS DROPPED NEAR DOVER.

ENEMY AEROPLANE'S HASTY RETREAT.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM)

LONDON, Sept. 22.

It is officially announced that a German aeroplane dropped three bombs near Dover this afternoon. There were no casualties. Anti-aircraft guns came into action and aeroplanes went up in pursuit of the raider, which immediately made off in a north-easterly direction.—*Appeared in our Sunday Edition.*

SIR PARDEY LUKIS.

DIRECTOR-GENERAL OF I. M. S.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Sept. 22.

The appointment is gazetted of Surgeon-General Sir Pardey Lukis as Director-General Indian Medical Service.

MACEDONIAN OFFENSIVE.

SERBIANS REACH OUTSKIRTS OF URBENI.

HEAVY FIGHTING NORTH OF FLORINA.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Sept. 22.

A French official message from Salonika says that the Serbians have reached the outskirts of Urbeni.

We cleared out the district north-west of Armensko and advanced after heavy fighting against the heights dominating the road from Florina to Popli.

Mist has interfered with the operations on the whole front.—*Appeared in our Sunday Edition.*

SUCCESSFUL RAID ON STRUMA AND DOIRAN FRONTS.

ENEMY TRANSPORT BOMBED AT DRAMA.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Sept. 23.

A British official message from Salonika reports successful raids on the Struma and the Doiran fronts.

The naval aircraft bombed the enemy transport at Drama apparently with good results.—*Appeared in our Sunday Edition.*

VIOLENT BULGARIAN ATTACK HEAVILY DEFEATED.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

PARIS, Sept. 22.

A French official Salonika despatch reports that a violent Bulgarian attack against Zdorskoa between the Vardar and the Cerna has been heavily defeated.

We have repulsed an enemy attack north of Florina.—*Appeared in our Sunday Edition.*

COASTAL BOMBARDMENT BY BRITISH WARSHIPS.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Sept. 22.

A British official message from Salonika reports that our warships shelled the enemy in the neighbourhood of Neohori. There has been increased artillery activity on the Doiran front.—*Appeared in our Sunday Edition.*

REPORTED REVOLUTION IN CRETE.

PROVISIONAL GOVERNMENT FORMED

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

ATHENS, Sept. 21.

It is reported that a revolution has broken out in Crete. The revolutionaries have formed a provisional government.—*Appeared in our Sunday Edition.*

REVOLUTIONARY GREEK ARMY.

SALONIKA BATTALION LEAVES FOR THE FRONT.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

SALONIKA, Sept. 23.

A battalion of the Greek revolutionary army paraded here preparatory to leaving for the front. General Zimbrakakis, addressing them, exhorted them to expel the invaders. He called for cheers for the Allies.—*Appeared in our Sunday Edition.*

SUCCESSFUL RAID BY NAVAL AEROPLANES.

ENEMY AERODROMES HEAVILY BOMBED.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Sept. 23.

It is officially announced that naval aeroplanes attacked the aerodrome at Westerem and the results appeared to be highly satisfactory. Reliable reports show that previous raids on Westerem have caused many casualties and considerable damage.

Naval aeroplanes to-day also heavily bombed the aerodromes at Ghistelles and Handzaeme and returned safely.—*Appeared in our Sunday Edition.*

SOMME OFFENSIVE.

OVER 55,800 PRISONERS SINCE 1ST JULY.

FRENCH SUCCESSES IN ISOLATED OPERATIONS.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

PARIS, Sept. 23.

A communiqué says the total prisoners captured since July 1st exceed 55,800, of whom the French took 34,050.

Two isolated operations were carried out north of the Somme to-day. A fortified house near Combles was surprised and captured. A hundred German defenders surrendered.

Several trench elements were captured farther east with forty prisoners.—*Appeared in our Sunday Edition.*

GERMAN ATTACK WEST OF RAUCOURT.

REPULSED WITH SERIOUS LOSSES.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

PARIS, Sept. 22.

This afternoon's communiqué says that a powerful enemy attack between Priez Farm and Raucourt has been repulsed with serious losses.—*Appeared in our Sunday Edition.*

56 AERIAL FIGHTS.

TEN GERMAN MACHINES BROUGHT DOWN.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM)

PARIS, Sept. 23.

This afternoon's communiqué says:—There were 56 aerial fights on the Somme front yesterday and 10 hostile machines were forced down. We bombed the Forest of Hauthulst, stations at Finsepehy and Rosel, railways south-west of Combles, an aerodrome at Hervilly, a motor depot north-east of Soissons, the military establishments at Ludwigshafen and a factory at Mannheim.

North of the Somme operations have been relatively quiet. Our outposts advanced to the edge of Combles and discovered numerous enemy corpses on the ground.

South of the Somme there has been lively artillery firing.

A French official message from Salonika reports that bad weather is hindering operations.

AIR RAIDS ON GERMANY.

LUDWIGSHAFEN AND MANNHEIM VISITED.

(REUTER'S SPECIAL WAR SERVICE.)

PARIS, Sept. 23.

In the communiqué issued this afternoon it was mentioned that Warrant-Officers Tarascon, Levoir and Barme had brought down their sixth, tenth and eleventh machines respectively and Lieutenant Deullin his seventh.

Describing the air raids on Germany the communiqué said:—Warrant-Officer Baron accompanied by the bombardier left yesterday evening and dropped three bombs on the military establishments at Ludwigshafen. Continuing they dropped bombs on an important factory at Mannheim where fire and several explosions occurred. They returned safely.

FIERCE ARTILLERY DUEL.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

PARIS, Sept. 24.

Last night's communiqué reported a fierce artillery duel in the Bouchavesnes and Belloy sector on the Somme but no infantry action.

The enemy in the Vosges attempted to attack south of the Sainte Marie Pass. They were driven back to their trenches after a lively bombing fight.

A DUTCH STEAMER SEIZED BY GERMANS.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

AMSTERDAM, Sept. 23.

The Germans have seized the Dutch steamer Prins-Hendrik and taken her to Zeebrugge.—*Appeared in our Sunday Edition.*

LATER.

Thirty-four passengers were taken off from the Prins-Hendrik which was thereupon allowed to proceed.

VIGOROUS BRITISH PUSH.

TWO LINES OF TRENCHES CAPTURED.

PROGRESS NORTH OF FLERS AND MARTINPUICH.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Sept. 22.

General Haig this afternoon says in his communiqué:—South of the Ancre we have advanced on a front of about a mile, capturing two lines of trenches between Flers and Martinpuich. Our front now runs approximately in a direct line north of Flers and Martinpuich.

Enemy's trenches south of Arras were successfully entered yesterday evening. Prisoners were taken and many casualties inflicted.

We blew up a mine north of Neuvillestvaast and occupied the crater.—*Appeared in our Sunday Edition.*

HEAVY RECIPROCAL ARTILLERY FIRING.

THREE ENEMY AEROPLANES BROUGHT DOWN.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Sept. 23.

A British communiqué says, there was heavy reciprocal artillery firing and isolated actions. We improved our positions and pushed forward detachments in several directions.

There was great aerial activity yesterday. Two enemy machines were destroyed in the course of the fighting and another was forced to descend damaged.—*Appeared in our Sunday Edition.*

FAILURE OF ENEMY BOMBING ATTACKS.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM)

LONDON, Sept. 22.

General Haig last night reported that the situation was unchanged. Enemy bombing attacks in the neighbourhood of Flers failed.

A hostile kite balloon was felled in flames. A British aeroplane is missing.—*Appeared in our Sunday Edition.*

BRITISH GAIN FRESH GROUND.

AMMUNITION DUMP EXPLODED.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Sept. 23.

A communiqué from General Haig this afternoon says:—South of the Ancre yesterday evening we further advanced east of Courcelette on a front of half-mile, capturing a strongly fortified system of trenches and taking some prisoners west of Mouquet Farm.

The enemy counter-attacked at nightfall with great violence but were driven back by our fire with heavy losses.

There was considerable hostile artillery activity at night time on many parts of the battlefront. East of Bethune our artillery exploded an enemy ammunition dump.

GREAT AERIAL ACTIVITY.

FIFTY PLANES RAID A RAILWAY JUNCTION.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Sept. 24.

Last night's communiqué from General Haig said:—South of the Ancre we continued to improve our position pushing detachments forward in places into the enemy's advanced trenches.

During the bombardment of one section of the enemy front yesterday ten hostile gunpits were seen to be destroyed and fourteen others severely damaged and five ammunition pits were blown up. Our artillery to-day caused a big fire in a village much used by enemy supply and transport.

There was very great aerial activity yesterday, fifty of our machines made a most successful raid on an important railway junction doing much damage, destroying two ammunition trains and causing many violent explosions.

Equally successful raids were made on enemy railway works, sidings aerodromes and other points of military importance.

There were also many fights in the air. Three hostile machines were destroyed, five others driven down damaged and many others broke off the fight and were seen to descend steeply.

Five of our machines are missing.

GERMAN ATTEMPTS TO REGAIN POSITIONS.

REPULSED WITH SANGUINARY LOSSES.

(REUTER'S SPECIAL WAR SERVICE.)

LONDON, Sept. 22.

Reuter's correspondent at Headquarters, in a message dated 20th instant, says Germans during the past twenty-four hours delivered several heavy counter-attacks in an attempt to recapture the positions. They were generally repulsed, but got home in one or two cases. There was severe fighting, resulting in regained entry into Courcelette and trenches between Flers and Martinpuich. Our artillery dropped a terrific barrage in the rear of the Germans to cut off their retreat and prevent the bringing up of reinforcements and supplies. Then the British infantry attacked, driving the Germans from all their temporary recoveries with sanguinary losses.

BATTLE AREA A SEA OF MUD.

The weather continues bad. Rain has converted the battle area into a sea of mud, but as a result of ceaseless work on road making the Boches will not obtain much respite from ceaseless cannonade.—

HINDENBURG'S FAILURE.

ERDUN ARMY REDUCED BY ONE HALF

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

ALLAHABAD, Sept. 24.

A "Pioneer's" cable says:—

Marshal Hindenburg's failure in the West has been further accentuated by the defeat of the last reinforcements brought up. He has practically reduced the Verdun front by one half and all these units have been broken at the Somme by the British including two new divisions and the first, second, third and fourth divisions of the Prussian Guards. He is beset with appeals for troops from Austria and Bulgaria and is credited with the adoption of harsh measures to force Turkey into the eastern front at the expense of the Asia Minor campaign, also to take every Turk capable of holding a rifle and place them in fortified positions against Russia's Caucasian army.

RUSSIAN FRONT.

FORTIFIED POSITION BROKEN.

GERMAN GAS ATTACKS FAIL.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Sept. 23.

A Russian communiqué says:—Yesterday south-west of Lake Narotch we repulsed massed attacks interspersed with gas attacks.

South-east of Baranovitchi the enemy also liberated gas.

South-west of Giumichan we broke through a fortified position capturing ammunition and stores. We burned the latter owing to our inability to carry them away.

In the Black Sea we have sunk three steamers and several sailing ships laden with coal.

NOTHING IMPORTANT.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Sept. 22.

A Russian communiqué states that on the western front and in the Caucasus nothing important has occurred.—*Appeared in our Sunday Edition.*

TURKISH TROOPS ON RIGA FRONT.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM)

PETROGRAD, Sept. 21.

Turkish troops have appeared on the Riga front with German officers and equipment.—*Appeared in our Sunday Edition.*

DEEDS OF GALLANTRY.

AWARDS TO INDIAN ARMY OFFICERS

(REUTER'S SPECIAL WAR SERVICE.)

LONDON, Sept. 22.

The "London Gazette" announces that the D.S.O. has been conferred upon Captain James Walker Jones, Indian Medical Service, for wrenching a bomb from a demented soldier, thus saving others from injury, and upon Second-Lieutenant Henry Malkin Hance, Indian Army Reserve, for conspicuous gallantry in mining operations.

The Military Cross has been awarded to Second-Lieutenant Cuthbert William Short, Indian Army Reserve, who attacked enemy machine-gunners with his machine-gun, thus enabling our cavalry to advance.—*Appeared in our Sunday Edition.*

CANADIAN CASUALTIES.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

OTTAWA, Sept. 24.

It is officially stated that the Canadian casualties to August 31st were:—Killed and Died 8,644; Wounded 27,212; Missing 2,005.

POST-WAR TRADE PROBLEMS.

FINANCIAL FACILITIES FOR BRITISH FIRMS.

PROPOSED TRADE BANK.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Sept. 22.

It is officially announced that the Committee of Inquiry into the best means of providing financial facilities for British firms after the war, particularly with respect to financing large overseas contracts, recommends the immediate formation of a new bank with a capital of ten millions sterling in order to link up home and colonial and British and foreign banks with a view to furthering commercial and industrial enterprises.—*Appeared in our Sunday Edition.*

LONDON, Sept. 22.

The report of the Committee of Inquiry into the best means of providing financial facilities for British firms after the war, further urges that the bank should be called the British Trade Bank and should be constituted under a Royal Charter. It should receive Government assistance and co-operate with merchants and manufacturers and possibly accept risks upon joint account. It should be the centre for syndicate operations and should consider transactions which other banks are not prepared to undertake alone.

The bank should have an information bureau to investigate schemes, record the status of foreign firms and obtain the earliest intelligence as to new business openings. It must also have young and vigorous agents everywhere.

FAILURE OF ENEMY PLAN IN DOBRUDJA.

MACKENSEN MEETS HIS MATCH IN GENERAL AVERESCO.

(REUTER'S SPECIAL WAR SERVICE.)

LONDON, Sept. 22.

General Averesco, in whom General Mackensen appears to have met his match, is an ex-ranker.

Reuter learns that high Roumanian military authorities regard the enemy plan in Dobrudja, which was the capture of the great bridge and town of Constanza, as having failed definitely. The Bulgarians are unlikely owing to great distance, lack of railways and lateness of the season, to send further reinforcements, while the Russians and Roumanians can pour troops into Dobrudja.

The enemy movement against the Vulcan Pass is probably only a local enterprise intended to secure the mines.—*Appeared in our Sunday Edition.*

ENEMY FORTIFYING HIMSELF.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

BUKHAREST, Sept. 22.

A communiqué says there have been minor engagements in Transylvania.

The enemy in Dobrudja has ceased to retreat and has fortified himself. The Roumanians have put to flight a number of units of the enemy right wing.—*Appeared in our Sunday Edition.*

HINDENBURG'S PLANS AGAINST ROUMANIA

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

ALLAHABAD, Sept. 24.

A "Pioneer's" cable says:—

The military critic of the "Corriere Della Serra" states that General Hindenburg is basing his plans on the belief that the present offensive by France, Russia and Italy, will come to a standstill very shortly. In this belief, he deprived the fronts concerned of thirty divisions, joined to them fourteen Bulgarian and seven Turkish divisions and with this force reckons, he can so crush Roumania that he will be able to concentrate a large army in the southern Balkans to deal with General Sarrail.

ROUMANIA'S MASTERY OF DANUBE.

A GREAT BLOW TO CENTRAL POWERS

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

ALLAHABAD, Sept. 24.

A "Pioneer's" cable says:—

It appears from an article by the Swiss military critic Colonel Gablonsky that the Allies' hope of cutting the communications between the Central Empires and Turkey is already realised in a great measure. Colonel Gablonsky says that the food for Germany and munitions for Turkey and Bulgaria, both went by the Danube on which the traffic this year has been colossal. The entry of Roumania and the capture of Orsova prevent this use of the river and leave only a single line of railway through Belgrade and Nish which is absolutely inadequate.

Although, a Roumanian official communiqué states, that the Dobrudja battle ended on the 20th in the enemy's retreating southward and by adding that he is burning villages as he goes, gives the impression that the retreat was considerable.

The "Petit Parisien" asserts that the Roumanian General Staff have not yet made clear the importance of the success obtained.

FRANCE AND SHEREEF OF MECCA

MUSSULMAN DEPUTATION ARRIVES AT JEDDAH.

(REUTER'S SPECIAL WAR SERVICE.)

PARIS, Sept. 22.

Six hundred and fifty Algerian Moorish and Tunisian pilgrims have arrived in the French lines at Port Said *en route* for Mecca.

A Mussulman mission despatched by the French Government to the Shereef of Mecca to express to him satisfaction at the restoration of complete independence and security of the Holy Places and to offer presents has arrived at Jeddah on board a cruiser.

AUSTRAILA AND COMPULSION

REFERENDUM BILL PASSED.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

MELBOURNE, Sept. 23.

The Senate has passed the Referendum Bill by 17 votes to 9.

MELBOURNE, Sept. 22.

During the first reading of the Referendum Bill in the Senate an amendment was inserted allowing the naturalised enemy subjects whose sons are serving with the Australian forces to vote in the Referendum.—*Appeared in our Sunday Edition.*

ANTI-CONSCRIPTION CAMPAIGN.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

MELBOURNE, Sept 23.

An anti-conscription campaign was inaugurated here to-day in the Town Hall.

The chief argument of the opponents is that men will possibly be needed for home defence.

The executive of the Australian Workers' Union, the most powerful union in the Commonwealth, has suspended Mr. Spence, its President, for supporting conscription.

PORTUGUESE TROOPS IN GERMAN EAST AFRICA.

ENEMY ABANDONS TRENCHES.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM)

LISBON, Sept. 22.

It is officially announced that the Portuguese troops have crossed the river Rovuma and penetrated three miles into German East Africa. The enemy abandoned his trenches after a feeble resistance.—*Appeared in our Sunday Edition.*

CAPE TOWN, Sept. 23.

It is officially announced that the Portuguese continue to advance northwards in German East Africa and have occupied several enemy positions.

MEXICAN REBELLION.

CARRANZA'S SOLDIERS JOIN VILLA.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

WASHINGTON, Sept. 22.

A thousand of General Carranza's soldiers joined General Villa when the latter raided Chihuahua on Saturday.—*Appeared in our Sunday Edition.*

LIEUT.-COL. BENSON KILLED IN ACTION

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Sept. 22.

Lieutenant-Colonel E. W. Benson, son of Sir Frank Benson, has been killed in action.—*Appeared in our Sunday Edition.*

APPEAL BY A HIGH COURT JUDGE FAILS.

NO DECISION TO APPEAL AGAINST.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

MADRAS, Sept. 24.

The appeal preferred by the Hon. Mr. Justice C. G. Spencer against the Corporation of Madras for imposing on him the profession tax for the second half-year of 1915 during which period he was not holding office as a judge of the High Court as required by the Municipal Act, came on for admission yesterday afternoon in the Town Police Court before Khan Sahib Balzulla Sahib and Mr. C. Narayana Menon.

It was stated on behalf of the appellant that a complaint was made to the President as required by section 172 of the Municipal Act and the President was bound to summon two commissioners and dispose of the petition. According to law he failed to do so. The Appellate Tribunal created under section 174 had power to direct the President to summon two commissioners and dispose of the petition according to law.

Their Worships passed the following order: "The appellant's complaint not having been heard and decided by the President and two commissioners under section 172 of the Municipal Act, there is no decision to appeal against under section 175. It is only the High Court that can issue a *mandamus* to the President to summon two commissioners and hear and decide the complaint under section 172. In this view it is unnecessary to decide whether there was any admission of complaint by the President without payment of the tax, or to enter into the merits of the contention that the appellant was not liable to be assessed for the half-year in question. The appeal is rejected."

GERMAN TYRANNY IN BELGIUM.

COMPULSORY SUBSCRIPTION TO WAR LOAN.

(REUTER'S SPECIAL WAR SERVICE.)

AMSTERDAM, Sept. 22.

The Germans have introduced a tax on bank notes and compulsory subscription to the war loan in Belgium.

ADMINISTRATION OF CRIMINAL JUSTICE IN MADRAS.

PROPOSED BILL FOR VILLAGE PANCHAYET COURTS.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

MADRAS, Sept. 23.

The Government of Madras order on the administration of criminal justice for 1915 shows much advance has been made in the treatment of criminals, a feature of the administration being the increasing share non-official gentlemen have had in the disposal of criminal cases. The Government note with pleasure the increasing measure of assistance rendered by honorary officers throughout the presidency. The Government propose to introduce shortly a bill for the constitution of village panchayat courts and it is hoped with enhanced criminal powers, which will be given to these courts, a large number of petty cases, which now come before subordinate magistrates, will be disposed of in villages.

TREATMENT OF JUVENILE CRIMINALS.

With regard to the question of committal of juveniles to prison the order shows that the Government have in the past impressed upon the magistrates the unwisdom of the practice. These instructions have had some effect in reducing the number of juveniles committed to prison. The Governor-in-Council, however, feels that no substantial improvement can be expected in this respect without some amendment of law directed to the substitution of measures of reformation for improvement which is often obligatory as the law stands at present.

PROPOSED CHILDREN ACT.

It has accordingly decided to enact a Children Act for this presidency the main features of which are (1) to prohibit absolutely imprisonment of persons under 14 years of age and to restrict it in the case of those between 14 and 16 years of age; (2) to set up Juvenile Courts and (3) to establish reformatory and industrial school for the reception, training and education of juveniles.

JUSTICE KAJIJI'S APPOINTMENT.

KARACHI MAHOMEDANS APPRECIATION

At a meeting of the Sind Mahomedan Association at Karachi, the following resolution was unanimously adopted:—

"That this Association expresses its gratification at the appointment of the Hon. Mr. Justice A. M. Kajiji as acting Judge of the Bombay High Court and prays that the Government will be pleased to confer upon him a permanent appointment on the Bench to fill the vacancy caused by the lamentable death of Sir Dinshaw D. Daver, as there has been no Mahomedan Judge on the Bench of the Bombay High Court since the death of the late Mr. Justice Badrudin Tyebji; and the legitimate aspirations of the Mahomedan community will be satisfied if the Government are pleased to recognize the claims of the Mahomedan community to the present vacancy."

ACCIDENT ON A VESSEL.

THREE LABOURERS DIE OF BURNS.

The coroner, Dr. Nunan, held an inquest at the G. T. Hospital, on the bodies of three Mahomedan labourers, Abdul Rahiman Amirkhan, Abdul Karim Karam Alam and Abdul Satar Abdul Wahab.

It appeared from evidence that the deceased were loading empty petrol drums in tanks on board the S. S. Perlak on the 22nd instant, when an electric bulb which was hung over a tank burst accidentally, and the three men who were in the tank, were burnt extensively owing to the ignition of petrol vapour. They were removed to the hospital where they died the next day.

The jury returned a verdict of death from burns due to the ignition of petrol vapour on board the S. S. Perlak.

THEFTS IN "F" DIVISION.

The Hon. Secretary of the Matunga Residents Association has addressed the following letter to the Commissioner of Police:—

Referring to your Memo No. 6680/6 of 14th July last, we regret that Inspector of Police F Division had not yet been kind enough to see for himself the state of affairs at Matunga in the afternoons.

In the meantime some time ago on the last Cocanut Day, several attempts at theft were made at Matunga and in broad day light between 12 and 2 p.m. and one of them was successful. Such attempts are not rare. Stringent steps are necessary to be taken and for that purpose a personal inspection of the situation is necessary.

We, therefore, hope the matter will receive your kind and prompt attention.

The telegraph traffic conditions between India and Burma are now normal.

The last case has been heard in the old Allahabad High Court buildings yesterday when Mr. Justice Walsh sat as Vacation Judge for the last time. The new High Court building is ready and the records and furniture are being removed. It is expected that his Excellency the Viceroy will open the new courts formally some time next month.

COMMERCIAL.

LATEST CABLE QUOTATIONS.

LIVERPOOL WEEKLY COTTON REPORT.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

London, Sept. 23.

	Bales.
Total in Sight	1,538,000
Egyptian Visible Supply	64,000
East Indian Visible Supply	197,000
American Visible Supply	2,263,000
Other Visible Supply	55,000
Total Sales	43,000
East Indian Sales	1,800
Total Speculation	4,000
Total Export	5,000
East Indian Stock	61 000
East Indian Forwarded	1,900
East Indian Actual Export	100
East Indian Imports	2,000
East Indian Speculation	900
American Afloat	170,000
East Indian Afloat	50,000
Total Afloat	191,000

MONEY MARKET.

London, Sept. 23.

Consols 2½ per cent. 60⅛
Rupee Paper 3½ per cent. 51⅞ Nominal.
Indian Stock 3½ per cent. (Sterling Loan) 70 3/8
Government Securities 3 per cent. 60 1/8

London, Sept. 23.

Bar Silver Spot 32d.

EXCHANGE.

London, Sept. 23.

On London at Paris Francs 27.38

WAR LOANS.

3½ per cent. 1925-1928 £86⅛
4½ per cent. 1925-1945 £95 7/8.

MISCELLANEOUS MARKET

London, Sept. 23.

WHEAT.

Wheat Choice White Karachi, per 492 lbs. C. I. F. October buyers 71/6.

SOUTH AMERICAN.

Rozario Santa Fe—61½ lbs., 15th Sept./15th Oct., sellers 69.

BARLEY.

Karachi Barley Sept.-Oct. sellers 50/6.

SEEDS.

Rapeseed, Ferozepore Usual Bold Sept.-Oct. value 69/6.
Rapeseed, Brown, Cawnpore 416 lbs. ex-Ship Nominal.
Linseed Bombay per 416 lbs. ex-Ship Oct.-Nov. Sellers 83.
Toria Rapeseed Sept.-Oct. Buyers 70.

LINSEED.

Linseed Argentine (La Plata) Oct.-Nov. Buyers 76.

METALS.

Standard Copper G. M. B.	£123½
Copper Braziers	£116
Yellow Metal	£155
Hard Spelter	£15½
Tin Plates I.C. Coke 14x20, 112 sheets per box weighing 90 lbs. C.I.F. Liverpool	£45
Bar Iron, Belgian No. 2 ordinary Sizes F.O.B. Antwerp	£5 9
Basic Steel Bars, Belgian C.I.F. India	£26-5

FREIGHT.

Coals:—Cardiff to Bombay Canal £6-4-6 Nominal.

RUBBER.

Para Rubber fine hard cure Oct. Buyers 3/1
Plantation First Latex Crepe Oct. Sellers 2/5

SILVER MARKET.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Sept. 21.

Messrs. Montagu's report says the tone of the market is much better than the movements in price indicated. A leading the holding of silver rupees by Indian treasuries amounting to nearly two crores. The fall has been continuous since the end of July in spite of the large amount of fresh silver coined by Indian mints. Movements of China exchange were also favourable and sales of sycee from China no longer leaves a working margin. American supplies remain small. It is anticipated that the United States mint will be a buyer for some time to come.

UNHEALTHY CONDITION OF COLABA CAUSEWAY.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE "CHRONICLE."

Sir,—Permit me please to draw your attention to the extremely unhealthy condition of the Colaba Causeway, especially the portion near the Government Telegraph Office in front of the Bombay Cotton Trades Association Ltd. Even a small downpour of rain turns it into the greatest nuisance, but when it rains for a couple of days or so uninterruptedly, the mud and filth at some places is really more than ankle deep and the smell most repugnant and injurious to health. To add to this the great run and rush of motors, lorries, garries, and other traffic makes it simply impossible for a gentleman to stand there without spoiling his clothes, and to attend to his business properly. Every evening a sufficiently large number of big and small cotton merchants and brokers of Indian, European and other nationalities gather together at the place; moreover, the quarter is also surrounded by the offices of the most renowned Indian and foreign cotton merchants, and the residential quarters of Europeans and others. It is, therefore, meet and proper that some arrangement or the other must at once be made to repair the road and remove the nuisance in the interests of the general public.—Yours, etc.

A VISITOR.

CRICKET IN BOMBAY.

A cricket match played on Saturday between the Islam Gymkhana and the Paper Currency Cricket Club, resulted in a win for the former by 29 runs: The scores were: Islam Gymkhana 84; Paper Currency C. C. 55.

On Sunday the Islam Gymkhana defeated the New Hindu Cricket Club by 117 runs. The scores were: Islam Gymkhana 190; New Hindu C. C. 73.

In spite of inclement weather there was keen interest taken in general Municipal election at Allahabad which began on Saturday under the new Act. In the Civil Station ward Messrs. Milner, Chiene, and Mohonlal had easy victory over Mr. Shapoorji, Bar-at-Law.

AHMEDABAD MUNICIPALITY.

NOTICE OF SUIT BY RATEPAYERS FOR ALLEGED ILLEGAL APPOINTMENT.

Messrs. Balvantrai N. Kanuga and Purshortamdas G. Contractor rate-payers of the Ahmedabad Municipality have given notice to the aforesaid Municipality, (including the President, the Councillors and the Municipal Commissioner) of a suit they intend to file the alleged illegal appointment of the Municipal Engineer who under Rule 237 Clause 4 of the Ahmedabad Municipal Code Vol. II, shall be "a graduate in Civil Engineering and if possiable also a Sanitary Surveyor."

Mr. Maccassey in whose favour the Resolution of appointment in question was passed being not a graduate in Civil Engineering as required by the said rule, the notice alleges that the appointment is ultra vires and illegal.

THE HON. DR. FERNANDES

CONGRATULATIONS FROM SARASWAT COMMUNITY.

A largely attended meeting of the Kanara Saraswats resident in Bombay was held recently under the auspices of the Kanara Saraswat Association, to entertain the Hon. Dr. C. Fernandes and offer him their felicitations on his being nominated a member of the Bombay Legislative Council. The spacious hall of the Tutorial High School was thronged to its utmost limits the Saraswat ladies alone numbering over 200.

In the course of a congratulatory address Sir Narayan Chandarvarkar, who presided, said that the Saraswats regarded Dr. Fernandes as one of their own. He had been of great service to them both as a doctor and a friend. He came of an ancient and highly respectable family of Kanara whose relations with the Saraswats had always been of a most cordial kind. Dr. Fernandes himself represented the best instincts of his family and the Saraswats were proud that he had risen to be a member of the Legislative Council by dint of solid merit and quiet and unassuming work. In the name of the Saraswats Sir Narayan offered him their sincere congratulations and best wishes for his future career. In his reply Dr. Fernandes said he experienced considerable difficulty in finding words adequately to express his appreciation and gratitude for the great kindness and honour done him and specially to Sir Narayan for the very flattering references to himself and his family. He was painfully conscious of his short-comings and fully realised that he was hardly worthy of such kindness as that of which he was the object at their hands. He could not too warmly say what encouragement he felt in facing his responsibilities in knowing that he had the warm-hearted sympathy of his good friends. He earnestly hoped that the friendly relations that subsisted between his family and the Saraswats for generations would continue. He would avail himself of the opportunity of requesting Sir Narayan, a most illustrous son of Kanara, to give the district the benefit of his wide knowledge learning and experience by suggesting, on some futures date, the means and measures whereby the interests of Kanara and its people could be more effectually watched and safe-guarded. In conclusion he once again thanked his Saraswat friends on behalf of Mrs. Fernandes and himself most cordially for their great kindness.

AHMEDNAGER Y. M. C. A.

LORD WILLINGDON'S VISIT.

(From a Correspondent.)

On Tuesday night, his Excellency the Governor of Bombay visited the Army Young Mens' Christian Association building at Ahmednagar.

The illuminated gardens and bungalow were entirely filled with hundreds of soldiers. On the arrival of his Excellency, the band of the Yorkshire Regiment played the National Anthem.

Lord Willingdon was received at the door by Mr. P. J. Mead, the Collector of Nagar, Colonel Morse, O. C. station, and Mr. H. Stuart, Y. M. C. A. General Secretary and proceeded to inspect every part of the building and the marquees in the gardens and conversed with a number of soldiers, including Mesopotamian wounded.

Before the Governor departed, a flash light photograph was taken of his Excellency and suite and members of the Y. M. C. A. Committee. Thereafter the illuminated gardens were a very gay scene, while the band, under the direction of Sgt.-Major MacHenry contributed a fine programme of music. The Colonel and the Officers of the Yorkshires have kindly promised the band for a Y. M. C. A. weekly performance. The activities of the Army Y. M. C. A. at Nagar include Sunday evening services and lectures cinema shows lantern and other lectures on India, two band nights weekly, billiards, reading and writing rooms and outdoor games, as in the Y. M. C. A.'s throughout India.

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tical tables prescribed by the Government of India appended to the annual report of the Director of Public Instruction the infant and the first four standards shall be regarded as the "lower primary" stage of instruction and the remaining three standards, the "upper primary" stage.

A notification regarding the abolition of the separate sets of standards laid down for the "rural" schools should be published in the "Bombay Government Gazette." As changes in the curriculum cannot conveniently be introduced except at the beginning of the "school year," the notification should provide that in each individual case the abolition of the rural standards should come into effect after the next annual inspection.

PRIMARY EDUCATION IN PRESIDENCY.

ABOLITION OF RURAL STANDARDS.

FRESH SUB-DIVISIONS OF SCHOOLS.

The Government of Bombay has published a Resolution on the subject of Primary Education, revising the existing orders regarding the sub-division of primary schools into "rural" and "full primary" schools,—a distinction which had come into operation during the regime of Lord Sydenham and which had been subjected of late to severe criticism from non-official members of the Bombay Legislative Council and in the press, as being highly deleterious to the progress of primary education.

The Resolution says:—

The present arrangement has been the subject of criticism from time to time in the Legislative Council, in the public press, and elsewhere, the system they introduced has been difficult to work, and it has not been found possible to adjust the curriculum for "rural" schools satisfactorily. Government have therefore reconsidered the whole question and have arrived at the conclusion that the existing arrangements ought to be changed.

It is clear that the restriction of the "rural" schools to a course comprising an infant and the first three standards only has caused hardship to parents in rural areas who desire to send their children ultimately to an Anglo-Vernacular school. Rule 27 of the Grant-in-aid Code lays down that except in special cases no boy speaking a recognized vernacular of the presidency shall be admitted to schools in which English is taught unless he has passed the 4th vernacular standard. This rule, which is based on the principle that a boy should have a fair knowledge of his own vernacular before he takes up the study of a foreign language, compels parents in rural areas to send their children to a "full primary" school to learn the 4th vernacular standard, before they can be admitted to an Anglo-Vernacular school. This difficulty was foreseen at the time the present system was introduced, but it was thought that a parent who intended to send his son ultimately to a remote Anglo-Vernacular school would probably be able to incur the additional expense of sending him away from home one year earlier to enable him to pass through the 4th standard, and that the case of boys in indigent circumstances could be met by the establishment of scholarships in "full primary" schools for the completion of that standard. The grant of scholarships, however, does not, it appears, meet the real difficulty, viz., the reluctance of parents to send boys to schools away from their own villages at so early an age, a reluctance which is naturally increased by the fact that there are no hostels attached to "full primary" schools.

RURAL STANDARDS TOO DIFFICULT.

With regard to the revised "rural" standards themselves, Government in paragraph 7 of Government Resolution No. 2046, dated the 19th June 1911, expressed the opinion that it would probably be found convenient to make them correspond exactly with the infant and first three standards of the "full primary" schools, with the omission of such subjects as kindergarten occupations, object lessons, etc. The Committee appointed to frame the revised course for Marathi "rural" schools was, however, of opinion that this could not be done, and separate "rural" standards were accordingly issued first in Marathi and afterwards in the other vernaculars of the presidency. These standards have been commented upon diversely in the public press, and some responsible officers of the Educational Department have considered them too difficult. Others have been of opinion that the alleged difficulties were largely due to laziness and inefficiency on the part of the masters, and that the standards themselves were satisfactory.

Government in paragraph 5 of Government Resolution No. 3251, dated the 9th November 1915, reviewing the Director of Public Instruction's annual report for the year 1914-15, accepted the opinion of inspecting officers that the apprehension that the rural school course was overweighted was not justified. They have, however, since then, made further and fuller enquiries and are satisfied that the course laid down for "rural" schools is really too difficult for the boys to complete within the prescribed time, and that what was intended to be a four years' course takes often five and sometimes six years to finish.

NEW ARRANGEMENTS.

The Government now direct as follows:—

(1) that in future there should be no hard and fast sub-division of local board primary schools for boys into "full primary" and "rural" as at present;

(2) that there shall be a common curriculum for all local board schools, whether they be situated in the larger or in the smaller villages, and that this curriculum shall be the curriculum sanctioned for the schools known hitherto as "full primary;"

(3) that in practice in the schools in smaller villages, kindergarten occupations, object lessons, drawing etc., included in the curriculum above mentioned need not be taught if a duly qualified trained teacher is not available;

(4) that in future primary schools shall be of two grades, the first grade teaching at least up to the fifth standard and the second grade teaching not more than the first four standards;

(5) that the schools in the smaller villages shall generally be of the second grade, but if local conditions so demand a higher standard may be added, thus converting them into the lowest type of the first grade;

(6) that for the purposes of the statis-

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Second-Lieut J Downing, Irish Regiment.
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Second-Lieut J C McBrinn, Irish Regiment.
Second-Lieut T E Magill, Irish Regiment.
Second-Lieut V B Marsh, Oxford and Bucks.
Lieut J C Meakes, Engineers.
Major U S Naylor, Durhams.
Lieut W G Saunders, Liverpools.
Second-Lieut H R Sheridam, Connaughts.
Lieut G H Westerberg, Artillery.
Lieut F White, Cheshires.

NOW REPORTED KILLED.

Second-Lieut J D Williamson, South Staffs.
Second-Lieut H Hoyle, North Lancs.
Second-Lieut R W Jardine, North Lancs.
Lieut E W Costello, Inniskilling.

MISSING BELIEVED KILLED.

Second-Lieut E P W Brown, Norfolks.

WOUNDED.

Second-Lieut J P F Adams, Durhams.
Lieut I Ambler, West Yorks.
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Second-Lieut R N Betts, Liverpools.
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Second-Lieut. O. A. Flynn, Munsters.
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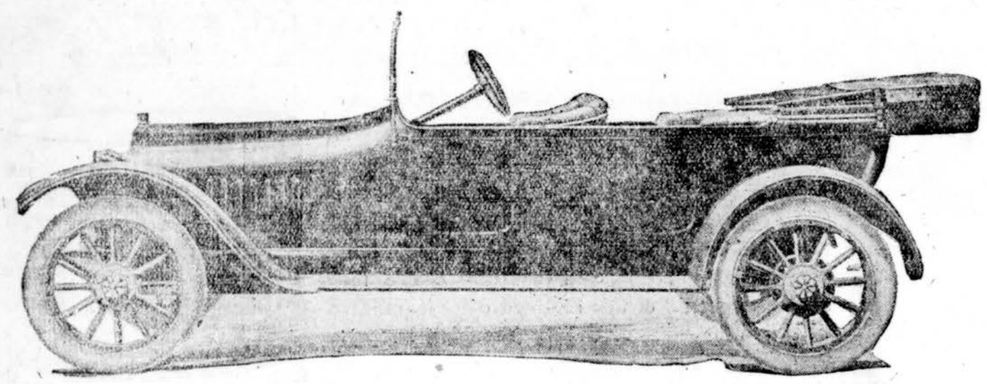

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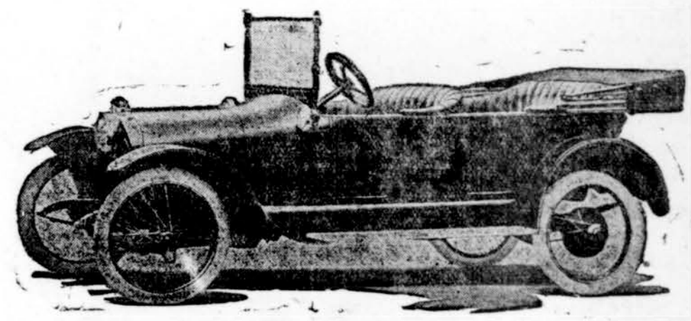

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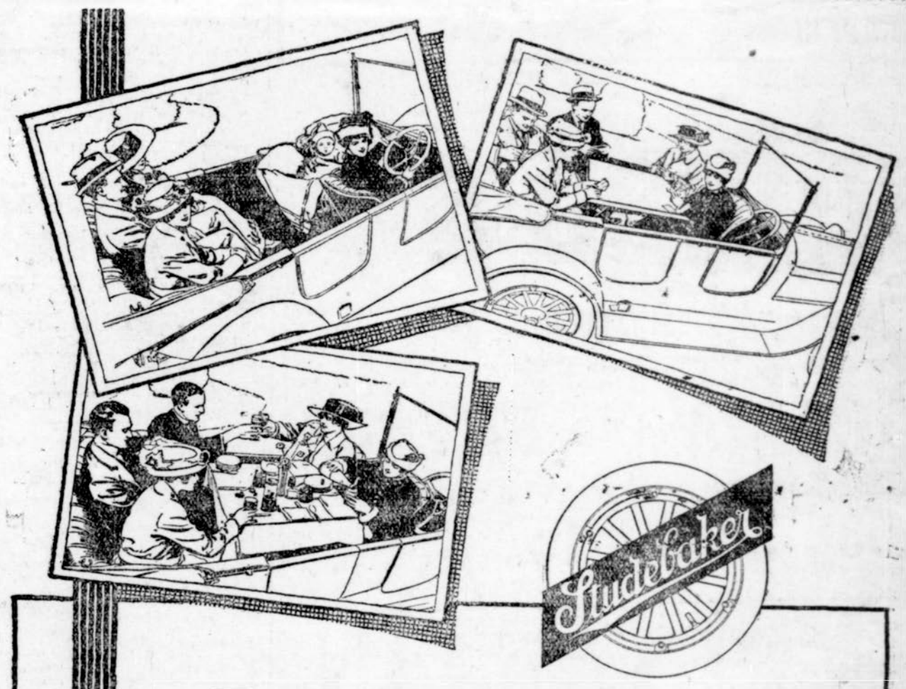

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